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Thousands of starlings fill the sky above Jerusalem's Bikur Holim Hospital.

Libyan mob sacks U.S. embassy WASHINGTON. - The U.S. embassy in the Libyan capital of Tripoli was sacked and set on fire yesterday by an estimated 2,000 demonstrators, but all 12 American diplomats and nine other people in the building escaped safely, the State Department

Department spokesman Hodding Carter told reporters that the U.S. had lodged "the strongest possible protest" with the Libyan govern-

The Department did not accuse the Libyan government of causing the destruction of the embassy. But it strongly protested "the inadequate and unresponsive nature of its actions in connection with the at-

tack," Carter said. He said the embassy had been guarded by only one policeman, despite repeated requests from the U.S. for stronger security.

The embassy had no contingent of U.S. Marine security guards, government had requested they not be stationed in Libya. Carter added that "the U.S. is

assessing what has occurred and in the meantime is advising all Americans who might be planning to travel to Libya to reassess their

U.S. embassy officials in Tripoli reported that it appeared a fire had en set, but there were no injuries, and the extent of damage was not immediately determined.

Vincent Principe, consul at the embassy, told AP that some of the estimated 2,000 protesters who marched on the building banged on the front door "and made it known they wanted to get inside."

The dozen or so staff members 'just thought it prudent to leave' via another exit, he said.

Non-American staff members who later returned to the area reported seeing signs of fire at the building and papers strewn about on the sidewalk outside, indicating

the Libyans had broken into the building.

Libyan officials at first denied the embassy had come under attack during the demonstration, but later admitted the demonstrators invaded the embassy and burned effigies of President Carter and the deposed shah.

Libyan leader Muammar Gaddafi said in an interview published yesterday that he might block oil exports to the U.S. if his country's

assets in the U.S. were frozen.

He also told a correspondent of
the Italian daily "Corriere della
Sera" that other Western countries might be boycotted if they were to line up with the U.S. under such cir-

The interviews took place a week before yesterday's attack on the U.S. embassy.

Libya supplies the U.S. with about 10 per cent of its oil imports. (Reuter, UPI, AP) (See Pakistan - page 4)

Shah in Texas; seeks new refuge

The deposed shah of Iran left New York vesterday for the safety and seclusion of a U.S. Air Force hospital in Texas, still not certain where he can find a permanent

triggered the seizure of the U.S. embassy in Teheran, appeared in good spirits as he and his family boarded a U.S. Air Force DC-9 in early morning darkness at New York's La Guardia Airport.

After 42 days of treatment for cancer and gallstones at New York Hospital, the shah flew to Wilford Hall Hospital on the sprawling Lackland Air Force Base just outside San Antonio.

Moslem students holding 50 American hostages in Iran warned again that, if the shah left the U.S., they would immediately place their captives on trial as spies. The caphostages from the U.S. embassy in Teheran to other locations in the city and to out-of-town strongholds.

The shah's move came after the start of the Security Council debate Iran, in which China and the Soviet Union joined in demanding the release of the embassy hostages. (see page 4). Waldheim disclosed yesterday

that Iran has promised to dispatch a special envoy to the UN for negotiations. Speaking on CBS' 'Face the Nation," Waldheim said that in several telephone conversations with Ghotbsadeh, the newly appointed official told him, "We (Iran) want a negotiated

How long the shah will stay in Texas apparently depends on how quickly the U.S. can find a country

willing to take the former monarch Only Egypt (and Major Sa'ad Haddad of South Lebanon) has publicly offered itself as a safe haven for the shah. Many experts in the U.S. have voiced concern that if major problems for President Anwar Sadat, although the latter has scoffed at these worries.

In Cairo yesterday a Foreign Ministry official said that Egypt is mediating in the crisis between Iran and the U.S. "indirectly through other channels." He did not elaborate, beyond saying the crisis affected the entire Middle East and had thus obliged Egypt to seek a mediation role.

Egypt has no diplomatic relations with Iran, which cut them after the conclusion of the Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty last March.

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Knesset committee predicts damage to large area

Pollution threat from Hadera plant

Jerusalem Post Reporter HADERA. — The power station now being constructed here and due to go into operation in 1981, could cause "terrible environmental damage to a large area of the country." MK Yosef Tamir, chairman of the Knesset subcommittee on the environment, said yesterday.
Five subcommittee members, led

by Tamir, visited the site yesterday and received explanations from Israel Electric Corporation officials of the precautions being taken to guard against pollution.

"There are three main problems," Tamir told The Jerusalem Post. "Large quantities of slag and waste products will build up over the years and be slored in the open. A storm, such as last week's, will blow soot and dust all over the surrounding countryside. Also, massive quantities of coal will be brought ashore by conveyor belts and stored in the open,

and this will create an additional potential pollutant." But the main problem, Tamir

stated, is the government's refusal to invest in equipment to extract sulphur and carbon sulphates from the smoke belching from the station's two giant smokestacks. "The equipment is very costly

and would be a strain at present, when there is no money," he said. "On the other hand, poisonous gases from the station will pollute an area of 390 km. in each direction. This is a rich agricultural region, as well as an important tourist area, and the damage could be immense." Tamir added that eventually the investment will have to be made and delaying it will cost

"I am pressing the Health, Interior and Energy Ministries to find the money now instead of waiting for the area to be polluted,"

According to a power station, needs.

spokesman, "The station will not operate until all the inspection and supervision agencies are set up and active." He said that "a complex system of checks and balances will e organized to avert environmen

tal damage."
The official said that all the latest anti-pollution devices had been in-corporated into the construction of the station, except the anti-sulphate device. "The government refused to approve the budget necessary for this equipment because of the high cost," he declared.

The station is being constructed to produce power from both oil and coal. Long-term contracts to import coal have already been signed with Australia and South Africa. The sulphate poisoning effect using coal is approximately double that caused by using oil, it was reported.

In its first year of operation, the power station will produce 40 per cent of the country's electricity

Gang war 'in the air' in Netanya

By YORAM BAR Jerusalem Post Reporter

NETANYA. -- An all-out underworld gang war threatened to break out at any moment here in the aut aftermath of last week's double murder of the reputed crime boss and his pregnant girlfriend, the mysterious shootings and knifings of four men and the arrest of two known criminals.

The escalation of the tension in the underworld can be felt in the air, an officer in the Sharon police subdistrict told The Jerusalem Post.

The police are especially concerned that in the next few days friends of Menahem Dayan, 80, who was lain with Bela Turgeman, 19, as they were sleeping last Thursday morning, "will try to take revenge on

these they consider responsible."

Me fouble slaying sent many of the underworld's "big fish" out of town in a hurry to avoid being detain-ted by police for questioning. The afficer told The Post, We tried to arrest a few people (for questioning), and to our surprise, we found that almost all those we were

looking for had simply disappeared." One person detained, however, was Zion Kahalon, 5, who was described as having been Dayan's best id and partner in various crimes in the past. The police representative told the Kfar Sava sales Couri that he had information that Dayan and Randon had quarrelled about a week before the morders presumably over a financial debt. Kalialon and Sayan reportedly threateness each other.

Also arrested last week was Haim Azulai, who arrived at the hospital with a wounded hand and claimed that he had been struck by a bullet as he was walking down the street. The bullet was removed from his hand. Police believe that he actually was injured during a squabble at Netanya's Pundak Hayam

That same evening another young man showed up at the hospital, with two bullet wounds in his knee. The bullets were removed, but the young man fled the hospital before he could be questioned

The hospital's bloody evening wasn't finished, because two more young men appeared on the scene – one with his back covered with deep knife cuts, the other with knife wounds in his throat. Although advised to remain in the hospital, the two fled into the night, without leaving a trace.

According to descriptions of the three young men, police believe they are members of three large gangs, which in the past divided among them their territories and generally coexisted peacefully.

Dayan and Turgeman, who was in her second month of pregnancy, were buried yesterday in separate ceremonies. She had a military funeral because she

was a soldier in regular service. Police detectives were conspicuous by their presence at Dayan's burial. They were apparently watching for known criminals, who they assumed would come to pay their last respects to Netanya's late "president of crime." But none showed.

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Printing pounds may swamp new budget

By SHLOMO MAOZ

Bank of Israel Governor Arnon Gainy yesterday expressed concern that the massive amount of money printed during November could prevent the government from keeping to its recently adjusted budget. In November IL7,2b, were put into circulation, compared to only ILA.3b. for the April-October period.

The cabinet yesterday approved the latest budget adjustment law, which calls for IL424.866b. in spending for 1979/80, up from the prior estimate of IL320.175b. The new sum represents a 4 per cent real cut of IL13b. at current prices, but allows for printing IL15.3b., up from the previous estimate of IL12.7b. Some IL11.5b. have already flowed into the economy since April, at current prices.

Gafny agreed that the new budget

represented "restraint of sorts,"

but asked whether it will be carried

out as planned. Asking for an inquiry into the cause of such a large increase in money supply for November, the governor said that the government now faced the test of putting plans into practice, especially in next year's budget. Outgoing budgets director Prof. Eitan Berglas (appointment of his replacement Yisrael Haim Arkin was approved yesterday) predicted that the main impact of current cutbacks will be felt in military orders

defence plant workers and perhaps even dismissals, he said. Some IL3b.-IL4b. of the IL6b. slated to be cut from the defence

from local industry. This would

result in a slower demand for

orders. This is expected to increase medium-range unemployment, but Gainy said he hoped that some of the slack could be made up by in-

creased military exports. Another step expected to effect the public is cancellation of all new construction of schools, hospitals and other welfare institutions, and a slowdown in the pace of construc-

tion of those already begun. Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz presented the revised budget to the full cabinet yesterday, but no vote was taken. Instead, it was referred to the economic cabinet, which approved it unanimously. Since the document is a proposed law, any minister is entitled to appeal, even without permission from Prime Minister Menahem Begin, as is required for the economic cabinet's administrative decisions. But it appears that no further appeals will be made, and the bill will be sent to the Knesset in a few weeks.

Only Defence Minister Ezer Weizman objected to the large cut in his ministry - IL7b. out of the IL13b, total - and after discussion he was promised IL900m. back from the reserve budget. Appeals by the ministers of religious affairs. transportation and energy were rejected by the economic cabinet.

Berglas claimed yesterday that civil servants' wages have risen by 10 per cent in real terms in 1979, including retroactive payments. But an examination by The Jerusalem Post of the figures showed that only defence workers' salaries had risen by 15 per cent — and others remained the same. As far back as

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January C-o-L pay hike: 18-26%

Post Economic Reporter The January cost-of-living allowance will be increased by 18 to 26 per cent, according to Treasury sources, at a rate of compensation

ranging between 70 and 100 per cent, as agreed upon by the government, employers and the Histadrut. The maximum gross C-o-L allowance paid in February will thus be somewhere between IL2,500 and IL3,600 on a salary ceiling of

IL13,000 to IL15,000. But the net

allowance will be considerably less.

since the tax brackets have not been recently adjusted to the rate of The total cost of this increment,

covering the last third of 1979, will be about IL2.7 billion.

According to Treasury estimates the dollar rate will reach ILA2 by the end of March and this year's rate of inflation will be 88 per higher than that of the last fiscal year. Budget economists are allowing for 107 per cent price rises by the end of the current budget year

Defence budget cuts will mean thousands of jobs lost

By HIRSH GOODMAN

Post Military Correspondent Every cut of IL1b. in the defence budget means 700 to 1,000 jobs lost. according to senior Defence Ministry sources. The budget cut of IL7b. sustained by the ministry yesterday, they said, would im-mediately affect some 5,000 workers in the combined defence

· Hundreds of jobs will be lost in Israel Aircraft Industries; the Military Industries, where production lines are in danger of being closed: and several non-Defence Ministry plants which have large defence contracts, such as Tadiran and Soltam.

The sources also revealed that for next year's defence budget, the current gap between the Finance Ministry and the defence establishment is around IL8b. But defence officials are confident it can be closed "given the current good will which exists between the parties."

In principle, they said, the Treasury is willing to underwrite 100 per cent of all increases in army salaries and cost rises in the Ramon plan for redeployment of

The monk was apparently killed

by blows from an axe as well as

knife wounds. Despite the evidence

of a grenade having exploded in the

small room, no shrapnel was

found in the body. The grenade was

Investigators suspect that the in-cident may be connected to PLO

terrorist activities and note that the

monk has been at the monastery for

the past six months. In that period

there was a noticeable increase in

the number of terrorist attacks in

Egypt Sinai chief

Gen. Muhammad Shawkat, Egypt's governor of El-Arish and northern Sinai, arrived in Israel

yesterday for a five-day visit as the guest of the Foreign Ministry. Last night he was feted at a reception given by Defence Minister Ezer

Gen. Shawkat is a former head of

Egypt's military intelligence and is

considered a rising star in Egypt's

politico-military firmament.

arrives for talks

Weizman in Tel Aviv.

the vicinity of the monastery.

apparently of IDF manufacture.

the IDF from Sinai to the Negev. But they added that the Defence Ministry will again be expected to absorb all increases over the government's official projections.

The defence sources stressed yesterday that the ministry was fully behind Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz's attempts to fight infla-tion. But they warned that, if the Treasury cannot offer a real increase over the IL54b. it is offering now, the country's military industrial infrastructure will suffer irreversibly and national security will be affected.

By the Treasury's own statistics. of the GNP has dropped steadily over the past few years, and is now back to the 1970 level of 14.3 per cent. Defence spending as part of the overall budget, he added, has dropped even further and today stands at 28.6 per cent, compared to 44 per cent in 1970.
Defence officials expect that U.S.

military aid to Israel this year will be about \$1.2b. Israel had requested \$1.8b. The sum, for the most part, will be spent on weapons in the U.S., and virtually none of the aid package can or will be used to help local defence industries.

Aguda likely to quit gov't over abortions Rabbis reject compromise

Post Political Reporter

The rabbis of Agudat Yisrael's Council of Tora Sages appeared last night to have rejected the compromise on the Abortions Law amendment which was forged in the coalition.

Unless a last-minute formula is worked out to satisfy the sages, the amendment will probably not go to a vote in the Knesset today as planned, and Agudat Yisrael is likely to quit the coalition by tonight leaving it with a precarious majority of 61 in the 120-seat Knesset,

The compromise the sages were considering was based primarily on the solution suggested last week by the National Religious Party's MK David Glass.

As in the original compromise suggestion, Section 5 - which permits abortions for socio-economic reasons - would be scrapped. Section 4 - which allows abortions in cases in which the pregnancy threatens the mother's physical or mental well-being - would be expanded. However, whereas the original Glass suggestion was to have extended the clause to cover situations in which dire family and social circumstances would affect the mother's health, the new version removed the word "social"

which Aguda found unacceptable. The clause would allow abortions when the mother's physical or psychological well-being is en-dangered, "including cases in which her health could be affected by dire family or environmental circumstances to which there is no reasonable solution."

The sages objected to the compromise because it does not entirely rule out the possibility of abortions for economic reasons. They proposed changing "family or environmental circumstances" to

'family or human circumstances." The four Aguda MKs who have backed the compromise are asking that the 15-member council be convened tomorrow to review the issue. Last-ditch efforts are expected this morning to amend the compromise further, although Likud sources yesterday expressed dismay at the fact that the Aguda sages were arguing over semantics and refused to accept the com-

promise despite all the efforts to make it palatable to them. They expressed anxiety about their ability to find wording that would be acceptable to the Likud members who had opposed the amendment and had agreed only with strong reservations to the compromise.

Aguda MK Shlomo Lorincz said yesterday that if his party left the coalition it would work for new elections, but coalition sources said they believed Aguda would support the government on many issues. The party is dependent on the coalition for financing its yeshivot.

Aguda's departure from the coalition would make the government much more dependent on the Democratic Movement, which has diminished in size since the 1977 elections and been irregular in its support for the Likud.

The negotiations which produced the compromise formula involved Deputy Prime Minister Simha Erhrlich, Minister with Portfolio Moshe Nissim and Health Minister Eliezer Shostak. Also taking part were the chairmen of the various coalition Knesset factions, the coalition MKs who last time around failed to support the amendment, and the four Aguda MKs. Although Prime Minister Beeln did not attend the final session on the compromise, he is said to have had a

hand in the wording.
Shostak estimated that, if the amendment passed, there would be fewer abortions in the country 'since a more basic examination of the mother's situation will be re-

quired." But the amendment's staunchest opponent within the coalition, MK Sarah Doron, said she was satisfied." Though I still have reservations. I will vote for the amendment. This is not a perfect world and we will still have one of the most enlightened abortion laws in the world. There are plenty of states in the U.S. which can envy our law even after the amendment," she said.

Other MKs who said they would support the amendment are Zalman Shoval, Ehud Olmert and Hillel Seidel of the Likud. Mordechal Elgrabli, who has just bolted the DM, will also vote "yes"

Autonomy talks reopening

Jerusalem Post Reporter Israel, Egyptian and U.S. negotiators to the West Bank and Gaza Strip autonomy talks are scheduled this morning to open a three-day round of deliberations aimed at bridging gaps between Cairo and Jerusalem over the powers to be granted to the self-

territories. Israel has been negotiating the future transfer of some civilian administration offices from the military government, but has insisted that it will retain much of the power in the administered areas. Egypt's delegates to two working

groups on autonomy arrived last

night at Tel Aviv's Laromme Hotel. where the negotiations are being The working group dealing with the mechanism of elections for the autonomous administration is ex-

pected to wrap up before next May

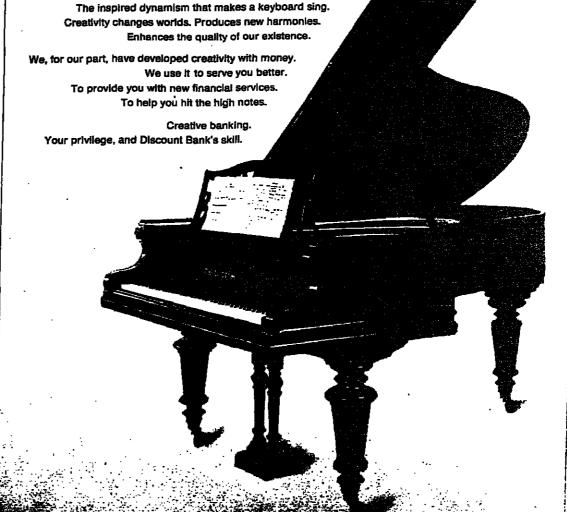
an agreement likely to make a vote in the territories possible. May is the target date for the completion of the negotiations. But this may still be postponed due to outstanding differences over the question of powers and other substantive

Egyptian Premier Mustapha Carter's new envoy to the autonomy negotiations. Sel Linowitz, will come to Herzhya next week for a meeting of the plenary session. The main target of the ministerial-level body will be to iron out remaining conflicts now hindering an overall accord on the projected self-rule.

Egyptian officials said yesterday that Linowitz will arrive in Caire on Saturday and will probably mee; with President Anwar Sadat. He will travel to Israel afterwards and stay in the region until December

Nablus monk's **Creative Banking** murder probed

Jerusalem Post Reporter The police and security services are investigating the apparent murder of a Greek Orthodox monk A lot more than just saving your money. whose body was discovered Friday Creativity. The breath of the innovator, the inventor, the composer. in a grenade-shattered cell in the Jacob's Well monastery near



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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

The West Jerusalem Rotary Club will meet with World Rotary President James L. Bomar at the Tel Aviv Hilton on Thursday at 8 p.m. Women are invited.

Absorption Minister David Levy last night opened an exhibition of work by 37 immigrant artists and craftsmen at the Jerusalem day through Thursday, for two

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DEPARTURES

Chief Rabbi of Jerusalem Bezalei Zoiti. for a visit to Britain and the Continent

U.S. army sec'y

The U.S. Secretary of the Army Clifford Alexander, arrived in Israel last night for a visit as guest of the Defence Ministry and the IDF. Alexander, who was in Egypt last week, will tour defence instaliations, accompanied by Deputy Defence Minister Mordechai Zipori.

McGovern due in Israel

Senator George McGovern, a U.S. presidential contender in 1972, will make a private two-day visit to Israel next weekend. He will be the guest of the government and will meet on Saturday night with Prime Minister Menahem Begin for a review of the political situation. McGovern will be arriving here

Kennedy: Now we see why Israel shuns terrorists

LOS ANGELES (AP). - Senator Edward Kennedy said Saturday the crisis in Iran should enable the U.S. to understand better why Israel refuses to deal with the Palestine Liberation Organization.

In remarks prepared for delivery at a fund-raising dinner, Kennedy, a candidate for the Democratic Party U.S. presidential nomination, said:

"In the wake of Iran, we should now understand how deeply the Israelis feel about the tactics of terrorism...if we will not accept the blackmail demand of terrorists in Iran, why should we except Israel to sit down with terrorists in the Middle East."

Kennedy said the U.S. "must never give terrorism our stamp of approval by openly or covertly dealing with the PLO.

: The American Consulate General in Jerusalem

announces to the public that the telephone number of its offices at 16 Agron Road will be changed on

December 3, 1979 to

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HOME NEWS

Likud opposition hits Histadrut leadership

By Joshua Brilliant rusalem Pest Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Likud opposition in the Histadrut yesterday stepped up its harassment of the ruling Alignment, evidently taking its cue from tough talk against the unions by Finance Minister Yigael Hur-

In a move which the Histadrut spokesman later described as scurrilous, the Likud members accused the labour federation leadership of squandering money.

"Where did they get the IL3m. for Tuesday's anti-government demonstration?" Likud faction cochairman Daniel Nahmani asked at a press conference. They bused peo-ple from all over the country, he charged.

MK Meir Cohen attacked Histadrut leaders for travelling in big American cars. The Histadrut s at least two Pontiacs, he said. Secretary-General Yeroham Meshel travels in such a car, and that is "unbefitting of a labour

leader," Cohen said. According to Histadrut spokesman Shmuel Soler, Meshel's American-made car was sold long ago and the secretary-general now has a Peugeot 504, 1878 model."What car does (Housing Minister) David Levy use?" Soler

Court of Justice to order the Histadrut to show him its books if it refused to so voluntarily. Cohen also demanded to see the Histadrut headquarter's taxi bills. Some Central Committee members take taxis on long trips although they get a 2,500-km. monthly car allowance, he said.

Cohen has persuaded the Knesset Finance Committee to abolish a IL20m. allocation to the Histadrut and other organizations for cultural activities. That cost the Likudaffiliated Histadrut Ovdim Leumit IL2m., but Cohen told The Jerusalem Post that preventing the Alignment-dominated Histadrut from getting ILISm. was worth the price. Most of that money would have been spent campaigning against the government, he main-

Cohen said he favoured state appropriations to the Histadrut, but on condition the money is not used to

fight the government.

The state granted billions of pounds to Kupat Holim, he said. But that organization spent funds on a campaign against the government's projected national health insurance scheme. "Why should the government give them money...to fight the health insurance bill?" he asked.

Meshel: 'Hurvitz leading us into unemployment

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - Histadrut Secretary-General Yeroham Meshel yesterday sharply attacked the new economic policies of Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz, charging that they would lead to a reces which would cause "thousands of workers" to lose their jobs in

Meshel was speaking in his dual capacity as Histadrut secretarygeneral and chairman of Hevrat Ha'ovdim, the Histadrut bolding company, at a six-hour meeting of Histadrut Central Committee and Hevrat Ha'ovdim. Hurvitz warned the Histadrut last

week that if it was "looking for a fight" he was ready to hit it back where it was most "vulnerable." Addressing the National Religious Party Executive, he said the Histadrut wanted only "to topple the government, regardless of consequences to the economy and the Despite the harsh criticism levell-

ed yesterday at Hurvitz and at Housing Minister David Levy, who supports him, Meshel announced that Hurvitz would be invited to a meeting of the Histadrut's Central Committee to debate economic and social matters. Meshel stressed several times

during the discussions yesterday that there was "no substitute for full

employment." which was the basis for creating a stable economy and society in Israel, and which was also needed to step up immigration from abroad and to prevent emigra-

Meshel pointed out that Hurvitz was taking these steps at a time when a "slackness of employment" was already being felt in specific sectors, such as the building trades and the textile industry. Moreover, the cut in credit directed to the productive sectors would cause a little recession which would deteriorate into a major recession, he said.

He also called for a revision of contracts given to foreign com-panies to build the airfields in the Negev, noting that Israeli labourers and equipment were standing idle while imported labour and machinery went to work. He came out against permitting French and Belgian housing companies to build prefabricated dwellings before local building trades were working at full force. ("Builders" — page 3) Finally, he called for increasing

the rate of income tax, now 60 per cent, for those with incomes of IL100,000 a month and more. The joint meeting adopted resolutions reflecting Meshel's

comments, including one to fight they were retrained and given jobs



Leaders of the Histadrut's Likud faction tell the press what's wrong with the Alignment leadership. From left to right: Ya/acov Shamai, Daniel Nahmani and MK Meir Cohen.

Teachers promised pay this week

By ALAN ELSNER Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - Sanctions by elementary school teachers seem to have been averted, for this week at least, after the Education Ministry promised to pay the teachers their salaries on Wednesday. But Histadrut Teachers Union

chairman Shalom Levin said yesterday evening that, if the salaries did not materialize, the teachers would take immediate ac-

The teachers have not been paid normal salaries since August, due to sanctions by workers in the ministry's finance department.

After the workers were forced to abandon their action a month ago, having been served with back-towork orders, the teachers demanded normal salaries at the beginning of December.

Although this week's threat has been removed, the teachers still intend to begin sanctions next week on another issue. The teachers are demanding wage increases of between 20 and 30 per cent. Last week, negotiations with the govern-ment broke down and Levin said that the sanctions would begin on the day after the Etzioni report on the working conditions and status of teachers was published. The report is due to appear on December 10.

Collector's 'bird eggs' were precious stones

HAIFA. - "I have a poet's heart of jewelry sticking out of his and all I'm doing is looking for rare hirds' eggs," a 29-year-old man told police who caught him climbing down a rope from a top-floor spart-ment on Mt. Carmel's Derech Hayam.

But police said the "poet" had several bracelets and other pieces pockets, so he was brought to headquarters for questioning.

Allegedly a well-known burglar with a long record, the man was arrested and will be brought to court today where police will ask to keep him in custody until their investigation is completed.

PRINTING POUNDS

(Continued from page one) the Arad economic summit last summer, Treasury economists admitted that Weizman had backed large pay rises for workers in the defence establishment despite shortage. government wage guidelines. But their comments did not receive

publicity at the time. A growth in state receipts, mostly from taxes, should mean a IL6b. reduction in surplus government demand compared to last year - a positive development, if it really materializes. Surplus demand is the difference between state demand for goods and services and the supply available in the economy. This difference determines the rate of inflation in the

The adjusted budget deficit, however, will be IL16.8b., com-pared to IL12.2b. in the last estimate (of IL320b.). Treasury economists now expect this year's spending to be only 2 per cent reater in real terms than that of

1978/79. This is considered an achievement, taking into account Negev redeployment expenditures and an increase in residential construction to meet the housing

Latest projections for state revenue are IL222b., up from IL156b. in the previous estimate. The increase stems both from inflation and from a real rise due to more extensive tax collection.

Following are the major budget categories, according to the latest estimate: civilian consumption IL41.6b. (up from IL30b.), military consumption IL130.6b. (IL103.4b.), transfer payments IL75b. (IL58b.), investment IL46.9b. (IL83b.), debts IL124b. (IL90.6b.) and spending conditional on increased income IL:13.7b. (IL:13.7b.).

To keep the budget down, on paper anyway, it was decided that the National Insurance Institute will lower its transfers to the Treasury, and the Treasury will allocate less money to the institute.



Soldiers at the Kisher Nahal outpost in the Galilee are hard at work repairing and readying kerosene heaters for winter.

Boy's death still puzzles police

TEL AVIV. — Police have still not come to any clear conclusions concerning the death of 10-year-old Shai Binyamin, whose body was found last week in a crate in his grandfather's yard on the Jaffa-Bat

Yam border. Investigators are considering the three theories: suicide, an accident stemming from playing with fire, and murder, although the last possibility is not thought very like-

Today police are planning to con suit with doctors and psychologists at Tel Aviv and Bar-lian Universities who are researching suicide in general, and among children in particular. They hope to receive some possible additional clues as to the circumstances surrounding the boy's death

In the meantime, police are awaiting results of laboratory tests made on material collected in the crate and near the site of death.

Lebanese Shi'ites protest to UN

Jerusalem Peet Reporter METULLA. — Shia Moslem villagers in South Lebanon have protested to UN Secretary-General Kurt Waldhelm against the declared intention of Ayatollah Khomeini to send 1,000 Iranian Shia 'volunteers" to join the terrorist forces there.

In a letter handed to Major Sa'ad Haddad, commander of the "Free Lebanon" enclaves, for transmission to the UN secretarygeneral in New York, the notables said the problem of South Lebanon should be solved by removing the terrorists and not by sending

No watchdog committee under Ehrlich

Post Diplomatic Correspondent Deputy Premier Simha Ehrlich's idea of setting up a ministerial committee under him to monitor the implementation of cabinet decisions was coldly received at the cabinet

Instead, the ministers agreed that Ehrlich himself, without the help of any committee, should assume a watchdog role to follow up on cabinet decisions. The deputy premier will be aided by the staff of the Prime Minister's Office and of the cabinet secretariat.

Ministers balked at the committee idea on the grounds that it would be unhealthy for ministers to supervise other ministers' perfor-

They approved, however, of the principle that Ehrlich as deputy premier could be called on by Premier Menabem Begin to exercise the monitoring function on behalf of the premier.

Still time for car check The "Prepare Your Car for

Winter" campaign has been extended to December 15, enabling car owners to have their vehicles checked at authorized garages for a special fee of only IL50.

The Transport Ministry spokesman, announcing this, said the police were continuing spot checks on the roads. All cars whose lights, brakes and other vital parts are not up to par will be towed away at the owners' expense.

BAR-ILAN. - Florence Mittwoch has become the first woman to head the Bar-Dan University School of Social Work, succeeding Prof. Frank Loewenberg and Prof. Ben Lappin who headed the school in recent years.

Gush can't make up mind no clarifications to give them

By Joshua Brilliant ession Post Reporter

Eilon Moreh settlers yesterday spent another night debating the government's demand that they move to Jabal Kabir, east of Nablus. They had not reached a decision by press time, and government sources expressed growing impatience with them.

A source close to Gush Emunim said it was clear that they would move to Jabal Kabir, but they wanted assurances that Arabs who own and cultivate land along the projected road could not prevent its construction.

But a source in the Prime Minister's Office was unequivocal yesterday in declaring, "We have

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Peres offers help for U.S. hostages of what he called the growing inter-

They've got to implement the cabinet's decision without any ifs or

Another source who had sup-ported Gush Emmin said bluntly:

"Everybody is fed up with them. They're dragging out the matter for

Deputy Prime Minister Simhs

Ehrlich indicated that the govern-

ment would wait another month before evicting the settlers by force.

if necessary. Ehrlich pointed out that a fortnight ago the cabinet had decided to let them stay where they

are for another four to six weeks

until the new site is ready. Conse-

quently, the deputy prime minister said, there is still a month to go.

buts, period."

no reason."

national threat of terror.

Another offer of help to the shah and Agenties WASHINGTON. - Opposition and indirectly to the U.S., came leader Shimon Peres yesterday yesterday from Major Saad Had-dad, commander of the Christian and Shia Moslem forces in South said that Israel, if asked, would help the U.S. "in any way" to secure the release of the American Lebanon. Haddad told reporters in Marjayoun yesterday that he had approved the Shi'ites' invitation to hostages in Iran

But Peres, interviewed on NBC's "Meet the Press" television interview programme, stressed that the U.S. has not asked Israel for any specific help in resolving the contiming impasse.

During prolonged questioning on possible U.S. Israeli military

cooperation, he underlined the ex-treme sensitivity of the situation by refusing to speculate about any specific Israeli military contributions, such as extending the use of airbases to America.

Peres, in the U.S. on a fundraising speaking tour, called on "the free world" to unite in the face

for as long as he wants. Egypt honours treaty, say officials

the deposed shah of Iran to come

live in South Lebanon should he be unable to find sanctuary anywhere

Haddad said he did not believe

the shah would accept the offer, but

there was value in such a gesture in

that it helped the U.S. show

Khomeini that not all Shia Moslema

And in Israel, millionaire MR

Samuel Flatto Sharon renewed his

invitation to the shah to come and

stay at his walled-in villa in Savyon

are fanatics.

satisfied that there have been no units. Egyptian military infractions of the peace agreement, one official said yesterday. He was responding to reports in yesterday's press that the Egyptians had deployed military airplanes in El-Arish.

According to the terms of the peace treaty, and agreements reached in the joint military committees, the Egyptians are entitled to deploy unarmed military transport planes and helicopters at

Post Military Correspondent the airfields being returned, inare used by Egyptian border police

Yesterday's reports, indicating Egyptian infractions for the second time in the past week, were viewed by the Defence Ministry yesterday as a "deliberate attempt" by political elements in Israel to undermine the confidence of the people in the peace process and in the Defence Ministry." The defence official spoken to refused to specify which elements he was referring to.

retrial because three army officers

had seen a villager named Ali Basma and his son alive after the

day on which Pinto, according to the

IDF: No need to re-try Pinto

Jerusalem Post Staff Israel Defence Forces legal ex-perts yesterday denied that there was any new evidence warranting a retrial in the case of Lt. Daniel Pinto, who was convicted of killing Lebanese villagers taken prisoner in the 1978 incursion into Southern

MK Amnon Linn (Likud) on Saturday night announced to the press that he had written to the attorney-general asking for a

charge sheet, strangled them and threw their bodies into a well. In fact, the afternoon daily "Yediot Aharonot" reported yester day, Pinto was convicted of killing

two villagers, and Ali Basma was not among them. There was insufficient evidence regarding two other deaths, and Pinto was cleared of those charges.

Likud infiltrates NRP school fiefdom

Post Diplomatic Correspondent Minister without Portfolio Mosbe Nissim (Likud-Liberal) asserted last night, with a note of pride, that he had "broken the anti-Likud taboo" in the Council for Religious Education.

The cabinet earlier yesterday named 14 members to the council including Liberal politician and educator Shlomo Yehuda, head of the Ekron Local Council. Yehuda was suggested by Nissim instead of

a National Religious Party council head whose name appeared in the original list submitted by Education Minister Zevulun Hammer (NRP) last week

Nissim argued then that it was wrong for the Council for Religious Education to be the sole and exclusive fieldom of the NRP when many Likud voters were directly interested in the state-religious school system, which the council supervises.

Pension fund must up payments with assets National Fund retirees, the court A pension fund which reassesses

its net worth and finds that its assets are greater than originally thought must increase payments to retired members accordingly, a Jerusalem labour court ruled In a case initiated by two Jewish

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in the Sanhedria Cemetery, Jerusalem,

on Wednesday, December 5, 1979, as at 8 a.m.

Her son-in-law, Nathan Breen

Her daughter, Laura (Leah) Zabarsky Breen

Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren

also said that the increased payments were required even if the employees signed, at the time of their retirement, waivers saying they would claim no further benefits. (Itim)

invalid." An official statement drafted by Premier Menahem Begin and issued after the weekly cabinet meeting said the assembly resolution, coming after the "Zionism-racism" resolution, was another proof of the decline of the organization."

The cabinet yesterday dismissed the UN General Assembly's resolu-

tion against the Israel-Egypt peace

agreements as "obviously totally

Cabinet derides

UN resolution

The General Assembly on Thursday, at the instance of a group of non-aligned states, passed the resolution by 75 votes to 33 with 37 abstentions. It purported to nullify those sections of the Israel-Egypt accords dealing with the future of the Palestinian people.
Yesterday's cabinet statement

derided the non-aligned bloc as "automatically voting for resolutions proposed by the most extreme Arab states, which are invariably supported by the Com-

The Camp David accords, the statement continued, "were signed by three sovereign states. The signatures of Egypt and Israel and the witnessing signature of the U.S. give the accords their full international validity."

Production prize to Russian woman

Jerusalem Pest Reporter HAIFA .- The Haifa Labour Coun-

cil yesterday awarded the outstanding woman production worker prize to Maya Cohen, a 28-year-old immigrant from Russia. Cohen started out in the produc-

tion line at the Kulso company. checking precision instruments before shipment. She rose to supervisor of an 80-woman team and is said to be the only worker "who could replace

anybody on the production line."
Maya Cohen was chosen out of 41 candidates by a panel of nine women judges. She received a ILio,000 cheque and a certificate. The second and third prizes went to Allegra Mansur, from the Tuuva Dairies, and Jaliya Halaby, from Gibor Textiles.

Goldstein prizes

Jerusalem Pest Reporter Two Jerusalemites were awarded IL10,000 each for their "exemplary citizenship" by Mayor Teddy Kollek last week.

Shoshana Naji of Makor Baruch has for 20 years helped elderly residents of the neighbourhood find constructive activities for their spare time. She organized educational and cultural programmes. The scroll that Kollek handed her along with the cash award says that her volumeer work has contributed greatly to the spiritual and cultural quality ch

life" in the city.

Meir Wertheimer has for the last 10 years served as chairman of the National Parents Association, and the city has now recognized his volunteer efforts in organizaing educational programmes for children from large families.

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In New York, Waldheim also said that Sahul Hameed, foreign minister of Sri Lanka who was in Teheran for talks last week and now is in New York, had offered to return to Iran "to try to help" ob-

tain release of the hostages. In London, British Airways yesterday announced it has suspended flights to Iran indefinitey, because of the political situation 🛌

Meanwhile, the prime concern of the day for most Iranians was the two-day vote on the proposed constitution, which even critics said was sure to be ratified in the sationwide referendum ending to-

Iran's unruly minorities staged angry demonstrations throughout the country to protest the mention stitution, which will give sweeping littin While a sizuable proportion of the 22 million eligible voters stayed

away yesterday, reports from the language. Mosiem holy city of Qom said that large crowds had flocked to the polling stations there to cast "yes" A big "yes" vote was also reported inside the U.S. embassy. where some 400 occupying students

voted for the constitution in the early afternoon. In Beirut, the Palestine Liberstion Organization declared its support for Khomeini in any confronts-

tion with the U.S. "We declare to the whole world that we are on Iran's side in its confrontation with America, was its military, political or any other sort. of confrontation," said Salah Khalaf in a rally on the occasion of the UNsponsored solidarity day with the

Palestinian people. Khalai, code-named Abu Iyad, is second to Yasser Arafat in the command of the PLO. (AP; UPI)

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Second thoughts on expelling Shak'a? West Bank mayors sound new warning

By IAN BLACK

Some 150 public figures from the West Bank convened in East Jerusalem yesterday and warned that they would "reconsider the usefulness" of municipal councils and participation in elections if Nablus Mayor Bassam Shak'a is not released from jail and reinstated in his post.

The three-man military government advisory committee which last week heard Shak'a's appeal against his threatened banishment is today or tomorrow expected to submit its recommendations to Judea and Samaria commander Tat-Aluf Binyamin Ben-Ellezer.

Military government officials yesterday remained tight-lipped about what the body might auggest. although they intimated that Ben-Eliezer might study its recommendations for several days before giving his view to Defence Minister Ezer Weizman.

Observers have noted that the time taken to examine the case, as well as the committee's mammoth sion last week, appear te indicate that the authorities are seriously considering the im-plications of banishing the Nabius mayer, and perhaps searching for a less drastic way of punishing him.

The military government, it is thought, may have drawn encouragement from the fact that, despite their public statements to the contrary, several mayors have made it known that they would make do with Shak'a's release and withdraw their resignations even if he is not returned to his job.

Moslem and Christian community leaders, representatives of omen's, students', workers', and professional organizations, as well as all the West Bank mayors, assembled for three hours yesterday afternoon in the Arab Graduates Club, off East Jerusalem's Salah e-Din Street.

They issued a strongly worded four-point statement

attacking the expulsion order as "a link in the chain of the conspiracy against the rights of the Palestinian people" and describing it as an attempt to implement the autonomy scheme;

right to determine our own destiny' and to set up an independent state with Jerusalem as its capital under the leadership of the PLO:

"denouncing, condemning and deploring" Israel's "illegal policies." such as settlement; warning that they would 'recon-

sider with the utmost seriousness the usefulness of municipal councils and the exercise of our right of election in the case of an adverse decision against the Nablus mayor."

This last point, together with a demand for Shak'a's release and reinstatement, was sent by telegram to Weizman. The signatories also warned the defence minister that they would hold the military authorities "responsible" for any "steps detrimental to the Nablus mayor.

The threat about not agreeing to the existence of municipal councils was first made last Wednesday after West Bank mayors convened in Nablus. Its repetition in the telegram to Weizman appears to indicate that the municipal leaders consider it a major weapon in their campaigm to secure their colleague's release.

Yesterday's meeting, which did not reveal any new positions, was clearly intended to serve as a warning of what may be expected in the territories if Shak'a is banished. The mayors have already said that there will be a general strike in the West Bank and Gaza if the decision is implemented.

As yet, however, there has been no discussion — at least in public what steps they might adopt if the expulsion decision is reversed but Shak'a is removed from his post as mayor - one option which may well be adopted by the military authorities.

Two foreign jurists, Neil Wolf of the New York-based American Civil Liberties Union, and Michael Ogden of the International Jurists Association in Geneva, have offered to observe at any future hearing into the Shak'a case. They made their offer to the mayor's attorney, Felicia Langer, and not as reported in yesterday's Post.

'Normal' sailing in stormy weather

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. - The stormy weekend "normalized" maritime relations between Egypt and Israel before the official "normalization." For the first time since 1948, a passenger ship sailed directly from Haifa to Alexandria yesterday

The sailing enabled the 600 French tourists on board the French m.s., Messalia to catch up on their visit to Egypt which they had missed because the ship was unable to enter Alexandria harbour, as scheduled on Friday, because of the weather. Instead. the ship came to Haifa, arriving on

been due in Haifa after calling in Egypt, which has been the regular practice for cruise liners for years.

The storm also brought Captain Daoud Hanou, an Alexandria port pilot, to Haifa. Because of the storm he had been unable to get back ashore, after guiding another French cruise liner, the m.s. Azur, out of the harbour on Friday afternoon. He arrived in Haifa with 600 French tourists on board the Azur on Saturday morning, and left for

home yesterday, switching from the Azur to the Messalla.

The first "official" trip of a regular passenger liner from Haifa to Alexandria is scheduled on December 14, when the Greek m.s. Melody will take some 250 Israelis

Bat Yam health care closure averted

By ALAN ELSNEB Jerusalem Post Reporter

BAT YAM. - The threatened closure of all municipal health services here was averted yesterday when Mayor Menahem Rothschild received a promise of IL2.5m. in-emergency funds from the Health

Rothschild said last Friday that he would shut the town's health services if the ministry did not forward some IL5m. of the municipal health budget within a few days. He said the municipality was running up debts by taking loans to keep the services going.

Municipal spokesman Simha Moretsky said yesterday that a

morning telegram from the ministry had promised II.1.5m. of this year's budget and a further II.im. on account of next year's. "We dispute the figures, and the amount is far from sufficient, but we did not want to close down the services," he said.

Threatened with closing were some 14 family health centres, including Tipat Halav clinics, marriage counselling and pen-sioners' services, two mental health clinics, one child-care centre and several school psychologists and social workers. Some 50 workers would have been affected. No reaction was available from the Health Ministry last night.

Builders: David Levy hitting prefab industry

TEL AVIV. - The Association of Builders and Contractors, supported by the Histadrut corporation Solel Boneh, yesterday accused Housing Minister David Levy of wrecking the prefabricated building industry in this country by giving contracts to foreign com-But Housing Ministry spokesman

Uri Oren denied the contractors' claim that half the employees of the seven local factories which produce prefabricated houses were out of work. Oren said that the factories were working at full capacity and the decision to use foreign companies to set up two additional factories had been made because they were the cheapest and most efficient means available.

The Knesset Finance Committee is due to meet today to discuss Levy's recommendation and ap-

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prove it. Yesterday, the contractors sent telegrams to committee members, warning them that "to approve the contracts would be a terrible mistake."

According to the contractors, all seven Israeli factories are working at much less than full capacity and could be expanded with relatively little capital input.

"To set up new plants with foreign capital will take a year and they won't start producing flats for at least a year and a half," the telegram read. "The foreign companies have also demanded a fiveyear commitment from the ministry. If Israeli companies were given the same conditions, they could start producing much more quickly, and the huge investment to set up new plants would not be

Sigma, one of the companies involved in setting up the two new factories, is owned by veteran Herut leader Ya'acov Meridor. The firm is importing equipment for prefab production.

Oren denied all the contractors' charges and defended the ministry's decision. "There are no employment opportunities in the existing factories. They are working at nearly 100 per cent capacity," he said. "They sell 70 per cent of their products to the ministry, but they cannot compete with the new technology which the foreign investors will bring to the country. Meridor's cost estimate was 7.5 per cent lower than any of theirs and will entail huge savings

in the long run." Builders are worried by an exodus of workers from the construction industry which has been evident for some years. The government's present building freeze. according to Solel Boneh director-general Shraga Rothman, could drive away a further 20,000 of the 68,000 workers now employed in construction, leaving the industry even more heavily dominated by

Arab workers than before.



Peter Milik (left), the Israel TV floor manager who is in Thailand to coordinate the disbursement of funds collected by TV to help Kampuchean refugees, speaks with Thai food suppliers. Food and other vital supplies worth IL10m. — about one-third of the total collected by the TV refugee fund — have been transported to the starving Kampucheans on seven convoys of trucks. Each truck is hung with a banner, marked in English and Kampuchean, with the words: "Help from the people of Israel to the refugees from Kampuchea." On Wednesday, a boat carrying more supplies will be allowed to sail into Phnom Penh via the Mekong River. Meanwhile, the Broadcasting Authority has received a letter of thanks from commanders of the National Kampuchean Army who visited the Kao I-Dong refugee camp where 700 orphans have received Israeli aid.

Law student loses his first case

A Tel Aviv law student seeking justice from the High Court of Justice was told by the court to go through channels. He has been charged with driving through an intersection when the traffic light was amber, while a magistrate who allegedly committed a similar offence was not charged.

The student had read in the papers that Magistrates Court Judge Menahem Buchovitz had been caught driving through a red light in Tel Aviv but was not given a ticket after explaining to the police that he was in a hurry to get home because he was feeling ill. The student applied to the High Court, claiming that he was entitled

to the same consideration as a

But the High Court held that, if the magistrate had indeed committed the traffic violation, the applicant should first complain to the police. If the police falled to act, then the student could bring the matter to the attorney-general. Applying to the High Court "at this stage is uncalled for," ruled

Justices Shlomo Ascher and Moshe

No confirmation of Schmidt visit here_

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Beisky. (Itim)

Jerusalem knew nothing yesterday of German Chancellor Helmut

Israel and Egypt shortly. The popular West German newspaper "Bild am Sonntag" reported that Schmidt had told Erich Blumenfeld, opposition member of the Bundesrat and head of the German-Israel Friendship Society, that he had now finally decided to make the oft-postponed

A spokesman at the Foreign Ministry in Jerusalem said the government had not been officially informed of such a decision on the chancellor's part.

The visit, according to the "Bild," would be intended to demonstrate Germany's support for the Israel-Egypt peace process.

Eldar released from Lisbon hospital

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Israel's ambassador to Portugal, Ephraim Eldar, is recuperating at his home in Lisbon from the effects of the armed assault on him by terrorists a fortnight ago. Eldar was released from hospital at the end of last week, and Foreign Ministry officials in Jerusalem report that his condition is satisfac-

The gunshot wounds in his arm and leg, which necessitated surgery, will not leave him permanently incapacitated in any way, a ministry spokesman said.

Eldar's Portuguese bodyguard was killed, and his driver and a policeman wounded, in the attack which took place outside the embassy.

Train fares going up Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. - Railway passenger fares will go up by 50% before the end of this week, in line with the bus fare rises, spokesman David Guy told The Jerusulem Post yesterday. The new fares will go into effect after publication in "Reshumot" (the official gazette).

"A Haifa-Tel Aviv train ride will cost IL60 - still cheaper than the IL79 bus fare," Guy said.

Pupils protest against return of Sinai

A delegation of 11th and 12th graders was scheduled yesterday to hand a petition to Prime Minister Menahem Begin against the impending return to Egypt of the Sinai

The "Sons of the Nation," who claimed 800 signatures on their pctition, pointed out that they were soon to join the army, and asked that the return be "stopped before it is too late - lest we too be called upon to stop tanks with our bodies in the Negev and to liberate Sinai again."

DAM. - The Kfar Baruch dam in the Jezreel Valley is now more floodproof, after a Mckorot (national water company) subsidiary recently raised the dam wall by two metres.

Suspect meets police at rape scene

By MARY HIRSCHFELD

Jerusalem Post Reporter HAIFA. - Police on Saturday night arrested a rape suspect when he turned up at the scene of the crime just as the victim was describing the circumstances to them.

Albert Portal, 27, of Kiryat Haim, allegedly held a 22-year-old woman for two days in a flat in Rehov Masada and repeatedly raped her. According to the police, Portal

and the woman met a few weeks ago at the "120" Club, on Mount Carmel. At that time he tried to force her to have intercourse with him. The two met again at the club last Thursday night and he allegedly went on terrorizing the woman, who this time was accompanied by a woman friend.

Portal allegedly forced the women to leave the club with him and go to his flat - although she insisted on taking her friend along. The three got into a tender driven by another man - apparently a friend of Portal's - and headed for

an old apartment house in Rehov Masada.

There Portal is said to have raped the woman several times, while her friend was forced to watch. Later Portal's friend tried to rape the other woman, but she got away.

The victim escaped early on Saturday, apparently a short time after her attacker fell asleep. She was in a state of shock and seriously bruised when she arrived home and told her story to her brother-inlaw, who called the police.

The victim succeeded in locating

the house where the rape took place. While she was trying to reconstruct her moves for police. Portal arrived and was arrested on the spot.

The Haifa District Court yester-

days and police are looking for his STONING. - Gaza youths on Saturday stoned an Israeli taxicab, smashing one of its windows. No

day ordered him remanded for 10

Judge frees Ramot four: accord on road still far off

By ROBERT ROSENBERG erusalem Post Reporter

Police yesterday released four Ramot residents arrested during Saturday night's violence, after a Jerusalem Magistrates Court judge called them "honourable citizens" and ordered them freed on their own recognizance.

There were no reports of charges to be pressed, but a peaceful solution to the Ramot road Sabbath controversy seemed farther away than ever after Interior (and Police) Minister Yosef Burg admitted he "cannot control" Natorai Karta. and city officials and Ramot neighbourhood council members said there would be no compromise until the road is "open and secure" on Shabbat.

(Burg told Israel TV last night he would "Intervene at the highest level" in the affair this week.)

Saturday night's violence occurred after a resident of Ezrat Tora, a religious neighbourhood that overlooks the road to the Jerusalem suburb, rolled a burning tire onto the thoroughfare, provok-ing "retaliation" by Ramot residents who had been patrolling the road. Fights broke out and windows were broken in the religious

Burg's comment angered both Ramot residents and city officials, who charged that the minister has failed to order police to act against the extremist Mea She'arim

"Burg has added Natoral Karta

to the same list with Gush Emunim. agninst which he is also unable to act," said one high-ranking city of-

Ramot residents yesterday were demanding that talks for a compromise solution be conducted without Natorel Karta, They claimed the militant religious sect came from outside the affected Ezrat Tora neighbourhood to stir up trou-

One Ezrat Tora leader countered with the statement that "Natorai Karta is welcome here if there is Sabbath desecration." But another observant resident yesterday indicated that if Ramot was ready to accept a compromise proposed two weeks ago by Burg, involving par-tial closing of the road, then peace could be attained immediately.

The source was also quick to note that the controversy was inevitable, because the road cuts off Ezrat Tora from Sanhedria Murhevet, a nearby religious neighbourhood. He claimed Mayor Teddy Kollek had signed a letter stating the road would be closed on Sabbath, and charged that Jerusalem district police com-mander Tat-Nitzav Zvi Ben-Eliahu had predicted the road would remain open "behind police bayonets.

City officials discounted the alleged Kollek promise about keeping the road closed. "He promised to look into alternatives that might keep the road closed. He didn't promise to close the road," one source said.

Shostak checking 'operation halt'

Health Minister Eliezer Shostak yesterday demanded that Kupat Holim management send him all details concerning reports of an operation being halted in the middie last week because of a work dispute by X-ray technicians. Reports of the incident have appeared in the

news media. In a Health Ministry statement, Shostak demanded to know the names of the hospital and of all persons involved in the incident. He also asked why Kupat Holim medical director Dr. Uri Spearman had not ordered the hospital involved to issue emergency orders against the technician.

day said that it was making every effort to discover details of the alleged incident, but warned Shostak that the technicians' work dispute was a matter of life and death, too important to be used as material for diatribes between Kupat Holim and the ministry.

Responding, Kupat Holim yester-

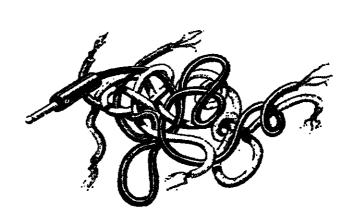
Spearman added that he had cabled the Health Ministry on November 23, warning that the Xray technicians' dispute was becoming serious and asking the ministry to take immediate steps to prevent harm coming to patients who require the service.

Weekend road toll: 17 hurt, none killed

No one was killed on the nation's roads over the weekend, but 17 persons were hurt in 11 accidents, most of them suffering severe to moderate injuries, police reported

Five of the accidents occurred in the South, with six injuries; two in the North, also with six people hurt; and four in the Tel Aviv area, with five persons injured. (Itim)

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RAWALPINDI (Reuter). - Police yesterday clashed with more than 1.000 students demanding compensation from the Pakistan government and the U.S. for the death of a student killed during the attack on the U.S. embassy 11 days ago.

A student spokesman said about 50 people were arrested and an unknown number of students injured in 90 minutes of fighting.

The students, from Gordon

College, an arts and science faculty of Punjab University, had attempted to march to the grave of 18-year-old Mohammed Asif, killed by a bullet during the burning of the U.S. embassy in Islamabad last month. Six people were killed, including two Americans.

The student procession yesterday was stopped outside the university by a cordon of police armed with batons. Fighting broke out when the students stoned the police. The police made baton charges into the demonstrators and fired tear gas

Witnesses said the students shouted demands for compensation for Asif's family from Pakistan's martial law government and the U.S. They also demanded that a case for murder be registered against U.S. Ambassador Arthur

Gordon College only reopened yesterday after universities in Rawalpindi and, neighbouring Islamabad were closed following the student-led attack on the U.S. embassy. It was immediately clos-

Throughout yesterday's clash, several lorries full of soldiers stood by in case the disturbances spread to other parts of the city.

Statesman" of Calcutta said:

"The Afghan revolution has in

many ways proved to be far more

murderous than the upsurge in

neighbouring Iran, Established

governments were overthrown in

both countries and replaced by

dangerously militant dictators. But

while the new ruler in Iran has

succeeded in carrying the people by

pandering to, and even en-

couraging, the most dangerous forms of populist frenzy, President Hafizullah Amin in Kabul faced in-

creasingly stiff resistance from

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tain their Islamic culture as they

'The real threat to the

are to oppose Soviet domination ...

Revolutionary Council and domi-

nant Khalq party lies in

Afghanistan's continuing civil war.

Not even the flight to Pakistan of

about 255,000 rebel tribesmen has

dampened the fervour of the in-

surrection...Reports suggest...that,

emboldened by success, the rebels

have abandoned hit-and-run

guerrilla tactics for major offen-

sives against forts and other securi-

Islamic rebels claim 800 Afghan gov't troops slain

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP). — Islamic rebels fighting in Afghanistan claim to have killed 800 Alghan government troops in Takhar province, the Urdu language "Daily Jang" of Rawalpindi reported yesterday.

The newspaper, quoting reports from the Afghan side of the border. said that in a three-day clash, 200 Islamic rebels also were killed. The rebel losses were the highest reported in a single clash in recent months.

The rebels claimed that they destroyed 100 Soviet-made tanks being used by the government troops and 60 armoured cars. They said the dead included some Soviet advisers attached to the government troops, but did not specify the number.

The newspaper said that after defeating the government troops, the rebels destroyed a number of bridges leading to Takhar, cutting the area off from the Afghan capital of Kabul. There was no independent confirmation of the rebel claims.

In an editorial comment on the Afghanistán fighting, "The Sunday

Spanish fascists hurt 20 in violent rampage

ty installations.

MADRID (UPI). - Fascist youths armed with knives, chains and clubs attacked regional nationalists in both the north and south of Spain yesterday, injuring more than 20

The youths were members of the small but militant Fuerza Nueva

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(New Force) party, which is fighting the move toward regional autonomy in Spain as a threat to national unity.

Police in Cordoba arrested seven members of the group and an eighth man accused of firing shots. least 13 persons were injured.



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE Danish Government Scholarships,

In the framework of the Danish-Israeli cultural agreement, the Government

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ticipate in courses for the study of the Danish language, culture and way of life. These courses are held every August, and are intended for students

studying Danish and Danish literature. The scholarships are for Kr.2,-251, and also cover the course fees.

Applicants for these grants should apply for application forms to the Department for Cultural Relations, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Kirya, Jerusalem, Tel. 02-235744, 02-235216.

The following are to be attached to the application: curriculum in English, photograph, academic certificates, marks sheet in English, details of the field in which studies are to be undertaken and study programme, the name of the institution at which you wish to study. References: at least two from university lecturers who know you, and

one from your present employer. Details on knowledge of foreign languages. Please indicate your telephone number at work and at home. Application forms are to be returned: to the Deputy Director-General for Special Duties, Ministry of Educa-

tion and Culture, 34 Rehov Shivtel Yisrael, Jarusalem, not later than Applications not accompanied by the certificates and references called

for, or which arrive after the above date, cannot be considered.

23.30 Almost Midnight — n JORDAN TV (unofficial):

17.10 Cartoons. 18.30 French Hour. (JTV 3) The Iron Horse, 19.00 News in

French 19.30 News in Hebrew 20.00

News in Arabic. 20.30 Doctor Down

Under. 21.10 Power Without Glory. 22.00 News in English. 22.15 Quincy

7.07 De Visée: Suite for Lute to D

Minor; Haydn Divertimento No. 3 in

A Major; Schumann: Andants and Variations for 2 Pianos, 2 Celli and

08.05 (stereo): Corbetta: Suite for

Baroque Guitar and Theorbe:

Couperin: Harpsichord Suite No. 8;

Dussek: Plano Sonata; Reger:

Preiude and Fugue in F Major, for

Organ: Ravel: Five Greek Folklunce: Orff: Catulil Carmina

10.05 Radio story 10.15 Elementary School Broadcasts

11.15 Elementary School Broadcasts

11.35 Mexican folkmusic (part two)

12.05 (stereo): Ofra Albucher, man-

doline, Rony Elgad, guitar - Handel:

Sonata in A Minor: Vivaidi: Sonata in

D Minor: Castelnuovo-Tedesco: Sonatina; Sitan Bezalei, trombone; Haim Yuvai, oboc; Rafael Frenkei.

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12.40 Language 7-8 13.00 Literature 10-12, 13.30 Nature 15.00 Ms Pitom,

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16.00 Handicratts. 16.15 Grass

18.30 News roundup

Island 16.30 Literature 17.00 Art CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMES:

17.30 Little Rouse on the Prairie. Bas-

ed on the book by Laura Ingails

ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes:

19.27 Programme announcements

19.30 News HEBREW PROGRAMMES: resume

at 20.00 with Morasha: religion

magazine
20.30 Eight thirty — magazine on
entertainment and the arts.
Presented by Meir Uziel
21.00 Mahat newsreel

21.35 Moulin Rouge. John Huston's

Oscar award, winning film of 1962

about the life of artial Toulouse

Lautree. Starring Jose Ferrer and Zan Zan Gabor (in colour) -



This is the first picture released of the wreckage of the Air New Zealand DC-19, which crashed into the side of an Antarctic volcano last week, killing all 257 persons on board. The picture was taken by a search team which reached the wreckage on the side of Mt. Erebus. The plane's voice recorder has been found, but the "black box" with flight details is still to be recovered. (AP radiouhoto)

UN begins debating U.S.-Iran crisis

day Israel time).

UNITED NATIONS (Reuter). -China and the Soviet Union, in a rare display of unity, backed calls for the release of the U.S. embassy hostages in Teheran when the Security Council began debating

the U.S.-Iran crisis.

All 15 council delegates who spoke at the start of the delayed debate on Saturday night stressed the inviolability of diplomats and diplomatic premises. At the same time, they voiced varying degrees of sympathy with the Iranian people and their grievances against the deposed shah, whose stay in New York for medical treatment prompted the seizure of the embassy by militant students on

Iran boycotted the debate after persuading the council to defer the proceedings until Saturday night. There was no indication when a resolution would be submitted, and

council members planned to hold more private talks before resuming the debate last night (2:30 a.m. to-

U.S. Ambassador Donald McHenry said the release of the 50 hostages in Teheran was not negotiable and added: "The United States will hold the authorities in Iran fully responsible for the safety of the Americans held captive." He said the hostages were being

held under degrading conditions, "threatened, kept bound, isolated, not allowed to speak, denied mail."

McHenry charged the Iranian government with detending the violence which held diplomats hostage and declared: "Such a position is intolerable."

Noting that the Iranians had demanded the extradition of the ousted shah from the U.S., he said: 'None of us is deaf to the passionate voices that speak of injustice, that cry out against past wrongs and that ask for understanding.

...But no country can call for justice while at the same time denying it to the defenceless."

McHenry later told reporters that he was extremely pleased with the support received from other delegations in the debate. "They are a public indication of positions which members of the council have been taking for some time in private," he said.

China's Ambassador Chen Chu stressed that the principles guiding international relations and the accepted diplomatic immunities should be universally respected.

Similar ideas were expressed by Soviet Ambassador Oleg Troyanovsky. But he said the Soviet Union had every understanding for the wish of the Iranian people "to restore the justice that was downtrodden by the previous regime."

Informed sources said the U.S. had no intention of tabling a draft resolution of its own. It was confident that a satisfactory resolution would emerge before the end of the debate, expected to continue for at least another day or two, the

Many little walls may rise around Peking'

PEKING (Reuter). - A new poster on Peking's "Democracy Wall" yesterday warned Chinese authorities that its closure would result in the appearance of many little walls around the capital. The new poster, signed "a bystander," was the first reaction

to a mounting campaingn against the wall by members of parliament, the official press and the Peking Revolutionary Committee (city council). Despite official criticism, large crowds yesterday milled around the poster-covered wall that has

been the forum of political activists over the past year.
The "People's Daily" newspaper

nization programmes and "should be dealt with." It did not specify what measures the authorities should take. The new poster said closure of the wall would be an ultraleftist action of the type taken by the ousted

terfering with the country's moder

"Gang of Four" extremist leaders.
The wall helped liberate the thinking of the Chinese people, and its closure would result in the appearance of "lots of little democratcy walls," the poster said. Official criffician of the brick

wall; on the side of a bus parking lot on Peking's main boulevard, followed the October trial of political activist Wei Jingsheng. He said on Saturday that the was sentenced to 15 years in jail for revolutionary committee had passing military secrets to a was sentenced to 15 years in jail for decided that the brick wall was in- foreigner during,

Moscow hits U.S. naval buildup

MOSCOW (Reuter). — The Soviet army newspaper "Kraanaya Zvezda" (Red Star) yesterday criticized what it called the unprecedented forces in the Indian Ocean and accused the U.S. of creating an explosive situation in the region. "The buildup of American armed

forces in the Indian Ocean has assumed unprecedented scope," the paper said, adding that the U.S. had concentrated its naval strength in direct proximity to Iran.

"Krasnaya Zvezda" said the U.S. had for several years planned an armed seizure of Arab officeds.

It said the ereation of an American 5th Fleet in the Indian Ocean and the construction of a major naval and air base on the island of Diego Garcia, as well as of military airfields in Israel's Negev desert, were evidence of this.

Toy Fund subtotal nears IL180,000

Jerusalem Post Staff

Mail was heavy yesterday for The Jerusalem Post Toy Fund and brought in IL13,323.20, bringing the total so far to IL179,046. It should get a lot heavier though, for there are only 13 days left to the lighting of the first Hanukka candle. "The enclosed



POST to arrive from to arrive from Sam's personal mini-drive," writes Edith Weener of Marblehead, Massachusetts. "We hope more will arrive and your campaign will be even more successful than last year."

Sam Weener has been using his rusiness connections for years to help the Toy Fund. The first cheque came from The Dicillo Company of Cleveland, Ohio. The Weeners' donation was one of the first received this year before they left for home after a visit with their children and grandchildren in

Another letter deserves a quote today. It comes from Joseph Clark of New York City. He writes:

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Plano and Orchestra

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Portuguese go to the polls

yesterday for a new parliament with the centre-rightists of Oporto lawyer Francisco de Sa Carneiro favoured to win and hand the left its first setback since the country's revolution five years ago.

Election officials reported an early heavy turnout as the nation's seven million voters went to the

Among the first to vote was President Antonio Ramaiho Eanes, who told the country on election eve Portugal might have to manage with a minority government again, a sign that none of the major parties would win a majority.
Although the centre-right

Social Democrats, Conservative Social Democrats and Monarchists headed by de Sa Carneiro was' favoured in the opinion polls, rival Socialists and Communists. predicted the alliance would not win enough seats for a majority in the 250-member, National Assembly.

The Socialists of former prime minister Mario Soares were rated second and the Communists of Soviet-line Alvaro Cunhal third. The election was the second since

the April 25, 1974, revolt by leftist ' armed forces officers overthrew Portugal's 48-year-old right-wing

Guerrillas 'jail' kidnapped envoy

SAN SALVADOR (AP). — Leftist guerrillas from the Farabundo Marti Popular Liberation Forces (FPL) claimed responsibility on Saturday for the kidnapping of South African Ambassador Archibeld Gardner Dunn and said he is in a "revolutionary jail."

The FPL said in a message sent to the press that Dunn was captured to denounce before the world the segregationist politics of South Africa and its intervention in Zimbabwe Rhodesia and other parts of Africa."

The communique said the FPL is demanding that the El Salvador junta break diplomatic relations with the government of Augusto Pinochet in Chile, try Salvadorean former presidents Arturo Armando Molina and Carlos Humberto Romero, along with their political officials, free political prisoners and account for disappeared per-

Gerdner, 50, was abducted last Wednesday by a group of armed : guerrillas outside the South African embassy, in central San Salvador.

follow-up to a series it ran last

UK spy chief worked in U.S. too'

LONDON (UPI). - The spymaster who controlled one of the most effective Soviet espionage rings in Britain probably operated in the U.S. too, "The Observer" said

yesterday. The London newspaper identified the spymaster as Ernst Henry, a German Communist now living and working in Moscow as an author.

Henry, who used various Russian cover names, ran a British spy ring that betrayed top secrets to the Soviet Union and is believed to have followed one of his British agents to Washington, "The Observer" said. The newspaper's story was a

month on Soviet espionage that resulted in the disclosure by Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher that Sir Anthony Blunt, for years art ad-viser to Buckingham Palace, had been a Soviet spy. He was stripped. of his knighthood after her report toparliament 1936 was posted to the Soviet embassy in London under a diplomatic;

Henry left Germany in 1934 and in cover name with the assignment of sustaining the loyalty of Blunt, Guy Burgess, Kim Philby, Donald Maclean and other intellectual-British spice, the newspaper said.

Laotians mark anniversary

Thousands of soldiers, civil servants and residents marched through the streets here yesterday to celebrate the fourth anniversary of the Communist takeover of Laos. They heard warnings from their leaders about "traps" being laid by China and imperialist nations.

The celebrations marked the tounding of the People's Democratic Republic of Laos, which saw the end of a pro-American regime in Vientiane, and of more than 30 years of strife Another celebration was held this weekend in Kampuches, where the

was put into power after a Vietinvasion ousted Premier Pol Pot. Both countries are now solidly linked to Vietnam and the Soviet

marked the first anniversary of the

formation of a rebel front which

Vientiane Governor Prac Pintprachan, in a speech, called en refugees who had fied the country

to return and premised they would be well received. More than 200,000, ding the bulk of the former middle cl since 1975.

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Ministry of Education and Culture

French Government Scholarships,

The French Government offers scholarships to Israeli citizens, for

the academic year 1980/81. The scholarships are intended for students with at least a second degree (M.A.) who wish to continue their studies in France.

First priority will be given to students of the natural sciences.

technology and economics. Second preference to those studying the teaching of French, and audio-visual techniques. Study programmes can be short - research or stage (one to three

months) or long — one to three years — a doctorate. The scholarship is for F1,400/month plus F300/month housing allowance, if the student does not live in a student hostel, The fare to France will be paid by the student. The French Govern-

ment will contribute towards the cost of the return journey to Israel, as follows: Students who stay 6 months or more - 100% Students who stay less than 6 months, but longer than 3 months —

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Candidates must meet the following conditions: - Citizen of Israel.

- Living in Israel for more than 5 years. — Age when submitting application under 40.

- Has served in the Israel Defence Forces. - Has M.A. or M.Sc. in special cases, in certain disciplines (Art and the Teaching of French) a B.A. will be acceptable.

Has adequate knowledge of French. Applicants who do not have an adequate knowledge of French, will receive a 3-month course, before academic studies start.

Has the full permission of the university at which he is now studying to continue his studies in France.

Applications must be submitted by December 31, 1979 to the French Embassy Cultural Service, 111 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel Aviv (Tel. 249866, ext. 316).

Final approval of the scholarship is subject to approval of the studies. programme by the approved authorities in France.

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Allenby: The Chemp; Ben-Yeluda: Last Embrace; Chem: Escape from Alcatras; Cinema One: Rocky II; Cinema Two: Norma Rae; Deket: A Nous Deux, 7.15, 9.30; Drive-In Canema: Herbic Goes to Monte Carlo, 5.30; Double Murder, 7.15, 8.30; Esther: A Man, A Woman and a Bank; Gat: Volces; Gordon: Allen; Hod: Fire Power; Limer: Last Tango in Paris, 4.30, 7, 9.30; Maxim: Wrong Number: Mograbi: The Deer Hunte 5, 8.30; Ophir: A Billion Dollar Threat: Orly: Love At First Bite; Paris: The Rocky Horror Picture Show, 7:15, 8:30; Poers A Little Rosance; Bansat Avive File on Voyou. Romance: Banut Aviv. File ou Voyou. 7.15, 9.30; Shahniff: Hair, 4.15, 7, 9.30; Studie: Hardcore: Tcholet: Days of Heaven; Tel Aviv: The End; Tel Asiv

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mon: California Suite: Chon: Alien: Galor: The Thirty-Nine Steps, 10, 2, 7, Shaft's Big Score, 12, 2, 2; Mhrast Trafficking in Women, continuous; Moriah: Escape To Athena, 5,45, 2; Orah: The China Syndrome, 4, 6,30, 2; Ordan: What's Up Doc? 4, 7, 5; Orion: The Story of "Q" continuous; Orly: Midnight Express, 5.30, 9; Poer: The Champ, 4, 6.30, 9; Res: Wrong Number; Shavit: A Little Romance, 6.45, 9.

PAMAT GAN. 7.15, 9.50 Armen: Bulldozer 4, 7, 9,30; Hadar: Wrong Number, 4, 7.15, 9.30; Lily: The Main Event; Ousis: Escape from Aleatraz, 4, 7, 9,30; Orden: The Lucemaker: Hama: From Hell to Victory: Remat Gan: Allen

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TRANSPORT A Drocker

Pale :

PAYING a routine visit to Tel Aviv nurseries and seed shops recently to update my marketing information. I was surprised by the astonishingly rich display and by the frequency that shoppers became buyers.

There were house plants, just flown in from Holland, various species of locally grown cacti and, of course, tulip bulbs, which should be planted immediately if you want to enjoy their blooms next spring. I fell in love with a red-flowering azalea, which now decorates my home. I bought it, though it was quite expensive, because I remember it well from my childhood. My mother always bought a new azalea in November that flowered on our outer windowsill all winter long, beating even the potted cyclamen in length of its flowering season. I am convinced that azalea may also be kept outdoors in many regions of Israel, if certain demands are met. As more and more azaleas appear in this country, I believe it's worthwhile to offer you some cultivation hints.

ition. Keep azalea plants in good light, but in a fairly cool location. Like the cultivated cyclamen, azalea will not long withstand the temperature of a heated room. The best place for it is on an outside w-sill, or in a wind-protected spot on a balcony. During hot dry weather, azalea should be watered daily — but not soaked. Normally twice a week will be sufficient. This plant needs a cool place in summer and protection from intense heat and direct sunshine. Mulching over its roots is vital in hot summers to keep the soil temperature down. The best mulching material for azaleas is decaying pine needles. Sell. Unsuitable soil was the main reason for many people being dis-

In the Supreme Court sitting as the High Court of Justice before Justices Cohn, Elon and Beisky. Petilioner: Naim Mah'Ul. lents: 1. Antessar Mah'Ul 2. Greek Catholic Canonic Court

THE HIGH COURT of Justice made absolute an order nisi calling on the Greek Catholic Canonic Court to show cause why it should not refrain from considering a claim against the petitioner.

The petitioner's 21-year-old daughter sued him for maintenance in the Greek Catholic Canonic Court. The petitioner challenged the jurisdiction of the religious court, arguing that as it had concurrent jurisdiction only and he had not igreed to its jurisdiction, it had no right to hear the maintenance suit. The religious court dismissed the petitioner's argument and awarded his daughter, the first respondent, IL3,000 per month temporary maintenance. He thereupon petitioned the High Court of Justice, and was granted an order wisi. The issue in the High Court centred on the interpretation of article

54 of the Palestine Order in Council. which provides that: "The Courts of ... the several Christian communities shall have: (i) Exclusive jurisdiction in matters of marriage and divorce, alimony, and confirmation

uni, diestria, Karenio Religio esta ducting: Sharon Isbin, guitar; Adi Exion-Zak, soprano (Binyenei Ha'oema, November 27). Borilos: "Le Carnaval Bomain," overture; Ami Ma'ayani: Cancerto for Guitar and Orchestra (1986). Will. (1976): Weill: Three souss from "The Three-Penny Opera"; Me Symphony No.4.

ALTHOUGH only the second half of this concert was televised, the spidence in the hall suffered from the third-degree lights and from camera men moving among the playing musicians from its begin-ning, not to menton some "VIP" facing across the balcony behind the orchestra to tell something to a

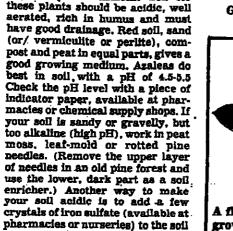
Fortunately Kazuhiro Koizumi is very obtrusive conductor (reflecting his apprenticeship with Ozawa and Karajan's influence) so con-centration was always re-focussed to the right spot. The Berlios was a with noisy sonorities and a whirlwind tempo — and the lovely solo played very nicely by the English Horn. Ami Ma'ayani's Concerto for Guitar" found in American guest artist Sharon Isbin i most sympathetic interpreter the concerto was written for her. The guitar was electronically amplified to an agreeable degree and could be heard everywhere in the hall. The composer carefully balanced his score not to cover the soloist nor drown out the rather ethereal decibels of the plucked strings. Ma'ayani's professed intention to incorporate the liturgical heritage of the Sephardi community into traditionally Western musical forms and textures made for a not very convincing hybrid. Only in the last movement did rhythmical elements provide some interest; for the rest, the soloist seems to have had to play a lot of scales up and down, which she did

extremely well, though.

During the interval, I left for my TV set at home. In order not to miss Adi Etzion's rendition of songs from the "Three-Penny Opera," which were not televised, I had to listen to the radio. Without visual distraction, the interpretation of Adi Et-

cakes, bargains and Hanukka gifts.

All about azaleas appointed with azaleas. Soil for



The gardener in a hot, windy area with alkaline soil who believes in digging a hole, planting an azalea and walking away is wasting time, energy and money. These plants are for gardeners who like a challenge and are willing to go to

considerable effort to succeed. Water is the next consideration for an azalea grower. Rain-water or distilled water may be the best solutions but the former is available in Israel only occasionally during a limited time of the year and the latter makes this hobby even more expensive. The average pH of our tap water is about 6-7 (neutral) and, therefore, un-

What to do? You can dissolve some iron sulfate or sulpha powder in your watering can to try and

of wills of members of their com-

munity other than foreigners... (ii)

personal status of such persons,

where all the parties to the action

Article 51 lays down that: "For

the purpose of these provisions

matters of personal status mean

suits regarding marriage or

divorce, maintenance, guar-

On the return day Mr. H. Mah'ul

appeared for the petitioner and Mr. S. Sha'ashua for the respondents.

JUDGMENT

JUSTICE ELON, who delivered the

judgment of the High Court, pointed out that the question of whether a

Christian religious court has ex-

clusive, or concurrent, jurisdiction

depends entirely on whether the

matter to be decided comes within

the bounds of sub-section (i) of Arti-

cle 54 of the Palestine Order in

consent to their jurisdiction..

Jurisdiction in any other matters of



Religious court's jurisdiction

LAW REPORT/Doris Lankin

would appear that a question of maintenance of a child, as distinct

from alimony, comes within the province of subsection (ii) and that,

therefore, any suit with respect to

maintenance could be brought before a Christian religious court

only with the consent of all the par-

ties involved. However, counsel for

the respondents in the present case

had argued that the term

interpreted in accordance with the

laws of the particular Christian community whose court is con-

sidering the case and that in accor-

dance with the laws of the Greek

Catholic community, "alimony" in-cludes a father's obligations

towards his children, these obligations including the duty to

support a daughter until she has

The High Court, held Justice

Elon, could not accept this argu-ment on two grounds. First, he pointed out, the question of which

'alimony'' in subsection (i) must be

this is time-consuming. Better and quicker is to put some empty buckets in the garden to collect rain-water and use this first in your watering can. There is nothing better for azaleas. To be prepared for rainless periods, put buckets of tap water (one for each azalea) outside with a linen bag of crumpled sphagnum moss (available at garden centres) hanging inside each. Use 20 grams of moss for each litre of water. (See drawing.) The moss bag should remain in the waterfilled bucket for 2-8 days to serve its acidifying purpose. From time to time renew the moss. Thus your water supply will be secured. Botanically there are few distinctions between azaleas . and rhododendrons. Many botanists classify all azaleas as rhododendrons. But rhododendrons are evergreens and azaleas usually lose their leaves in late winter. These characteristics are far from constant. The same plant may be evergreen in one climate and deciduous in another. There are, of course, some visible differences in the flowers. Rhododendron blooms are more compact with smaller petals and more single flowers on one stem. The plants offered in Israel are called rhododendron simsii, or "Indian azalea." They belong to the heath family as do erica carnea, blueberries and the German Alpine rose, all of which thrive in limeless soil, rich in organic

Propagation by seed takes a long time and is difficult. It is best left to

matters of personal status specified

in the Order in Council in general,

and the expressions "alimony" and "maintenance" in particular, had

been considered on several oc-

casions by the Supreme Court,

which decided finally that the ter-

minology with respect to matters of

personal status must be construed

in accordance with their meaning in

English law (see S.T. 1/49, 2 P.D.

In the light of this ruling, it is

clear that as in English law

claims of wife against her husband,

while the claims of children against

their parents come within the mean-

ing of "maintenance"; therefore

the claim of the first respondent in

the present case against the petitioner, her father, would come

within the province of sub-section

Secondly, continued Justice Elon.

even if the relevant terminology

(ii) of Article 54.

'alimony" applies only to the

botanists and plant breeders. Quicker ways are stem cuttings (take side sprouts in spring) and air layering, similar to the layering of carnations, already described in this column.

History. Chinese gardeners cultivated rhododendrons (azaleas) during the eighth century, Buddhist monks who travelled to China from Japan carried home a wide variety of Chinese and Korean garden plants - magnolias, peonies, orange trees and probably also azaleas. The Japanese, keen gardeners, rapidly developed these flowers and spread them throughout their country of islands. News of these developments reach ed Europe through the Dutch East India Company, and the first azalea (erroneously named "Indian") reached Amsterdam in 1687. Dutch, Belgian and English plant breeders also collected wild-growing species of Alpine rose in Europe and related plants in the Caucasus and North America, Cross-breeding led to the creation of hundreds of new beautifully flowering shrubs, which bloom for a prolonged period in a multitude of colours: white, yellow, orange, pink, red, lilac, purple, crimson, ivory, lavender, etc. DAVID GILAD, long time director of the Council For a Beautiful Israel, co-founder of the Israeli House Plants Society and a rose growing expert working for the Ministry of Agriculture, was recently elected world president of the International Rose Grower's Society at its world convention in Pretoria. This is, of course, a personal achievement for one of our outstanding horticulturists, but also an honour for our country, especially when in most international

respective religious communities. on the assumption that the Man-datory government had not intended changing the practice established before they took over in Palestine (see the majority opinion in C.A. 376/46, P.D. 2/235), this would still not avail the respondents. For an examination of the position before the British took over the mandate shows that claims for maintenance by daughters from their fathers did not come within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Christian religious courts in premandatory times. There was no cause, therefore, for vesting these courts with such exclusive jurisdiction within the framework of Article 54(i).

Furthermore, concluded Justice Elon, the fact that the mandatory legislation had expressly differentiated, in Article 51, between 'alimony'' and "maintenance" and had referred only to "alimony" in Article 54(i) shows clearly that this legislator had expressly sought to exclude "maintenance" from matters over which the religious

The order nisi should, therefore be made absolute, he held, and the jurisdiction of the Greek Catholic Canonic Court be made subject to the consent of the petitioner. Judgment given on September 27,

forums a hate campaign is being waged against Israel.

courts have exclusive jurisdiction.

system of law is to be applied to in-Council or of subsection (ii). At first glance, he continued, it terpreting and classifying the

MUSIC REVIEWS



Arieh Vardi

nouncer became desperate as television presented some silly popular hit and he had to keep up a pattern of information until the TV nnouncer at last came on screen and did his side of the announcement. Isn't there any communica-tion between the two arms of the Broadcasting Authority, at least in timing of programmes?

At last Mendelssohn's Fourth ("The Italian") Symphony came on, and we were shown that the producer had done his homework—

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the cameras flicked to and fro among the soloing instruments (like in football or basketball). The shots were all conventional views of orchestra sections or the whole body receding from sight, or the conductor flaying his arms in parallel motion. I was so bored by the unimaginative visual presentation side, I could hardly enjoy the audio part, but the orchestra did all the right things and performed a lively, showy, sanguine Italian Symphony.

"THE CHOICE CONCERT," the Israel String Quartet, with Arieh Vardi, plano (Targ Music Centre, Ein Karem, November 26). Beetheven: String Quartet opus 185 ("Der schwerpejasste Entschless"); Schumann: Plane Quintet opus 44

GRANTED, Beethoven's last string quartet is difficult to present, par-ticularly at the beginning of an evening. Its texture is quite brittle. Its form seemingly is held together only loosely. And no great climaxes are worked out. But it seemed to this listener that the ensemble was a bit out of depth, and not as unanimous and tight as they have been. They have long maintained a high standard, and this concert could reflect the long break of the summer, the beginning of a new season, or just a spell of tiredness even a string quartet consists of

human beings. Arieh Vardi led the Schumann Quintet with authority and a firm hand. His planistics were beautifully controlled and flawlessly executed, his dynamics fitted perfectly into the fabric of the instrumental dialogue. His leadership inspired the members of the string quartet to a more spirited contribution, and the audience clamoured for more. The Scherzo from the Brahms Piano Quintet made a rousing finale.

YOHANAN BORHM

Rudolf Barshai

ISRAEL CHAMBER ORCHESTRA Eudolf Barshai conducting; Helena Raskova, harpsicherd; Yitzhak Reuven, violin; Vera Valdman-Krasovsky, violin; Michael and Ezer Meizer, recorders (Tel Aviv Museum, November 28). All Bach programme. Brandenburg concertos No.1 and 4; Concerto for Harpsicherd and Strings in A Major; Suite No.4 in D Ma-

AN ALL BACH programme, especially one including the Brandenburg concertos and orchestral suites should be a real feast. Regrettably, this concert was not, though it contained some good music-making and a few fine

again and again be admired. His perseverance and unshattered belief in his way is undoubtedly remarkable. Yet the almost complete absence of expression of what lies beyond the bare sounds, the language, the notation, turns his performances again and again into disappointments. The first Brandenburg Concerto even proceeded clumsily, lacking vigour and purpose. The horns were inadequate, and the added dances after the third movement sounded even more out of place than they actually are. But the fourth concerto was an improvement. With the two Melzers on recorders and Vera Vaidman tackling her violin part to the best of her ability, the concer-tine at least, provided some fine

Helena Raskova's performance moved steadily forward, and despite a certain dryness in her approach, she convincingly evoked the feeling of motor-like motion. steady progress and relentless advance towards the final cadences. Barshai's accompaniment sounded as though it came from behind a screen. The best of all the performances was undoubtedly the Suite. The trumpets sounded brilliant, and the three solo oboists and the bassoon player attended to their parts with the greatest competence. Barshai finally seemed to gain some impetus.

orchestral version of Belbrun's Five Capricci. These brief compact pieces are impressionistically coloured and yet very favourably in mood. As far as one could judge from the performance, De Preist gave them a well-balanced reading, which made for pleasant listening. In contrast to this promising start the rest of the concert was boringly conventional and mediocre. Miss Marcovici offered us some impressive fingerwork and a few moments of genuine tension. The built-up towards Tchaikovsky's electrifying climax, leading to the close of the third movement, was especially noteworthy. Yet besides these few isolated islands of interests, the virtuosity and the brilliant tone, Miss Marcovici had little to say. Musically, there is almost nothing surfacing from within. These shortcomings. however, had a very positive. possibly unintended side effect: a complete absence of sentimentality. One could only say that this Tchaikovsky was completely superfluous. Even more superfluous was De Prcist's Schubert. I don't recall another so spiritless performance of a Schubert symphony. Playing the music as in a prima vista reading makes no sense. The inclusion of the symphony seemed only to strengthen the feeling that this programme was an arbitrarily

more in his element in Stravinsky, the performance of "The Firebird" was just another conventional repeat of an already overplayed work. The complete absence of programme policy this season, as far as composers and performers are concerned, has brought the IPO to one of its lowest cbbs. What about Mchta's muxical directorship? Besides his contributions to the IPO's successes abroad, the

Running out of water

LISTENING IN.../Ze'ev Schul

PERHAPS it's just as well that there hasn't been any aliya worth mentioning, and no money to finance the absorption of our fellow tribesmen should they decide to show up from all over. If you didn't know it before, the sad truth is that the water shortage prohibits any extensive new settlement

This and a few other home truths were spelled out in a long overdue edition of "Environmental Magazine" (Monday, 1805 hours). Journalist Yitzhak Tishler interviewed Water Comissioner Meir Ben Meir, and what the two had to say to each other about the country's water problems should have made the headlines the next mor-

Ben Meir, authoritative and wellinformed, has just delivered a report to the government that our drawn and that irrigation water quotas will have to be cut. One of the first victims will be cotton, which is ead, because this crop represents a typical Israel success story as a fabulous foreign currency earner. The cotton water quota will be reduced by 200 million cubic metres - affecting two-thirds of the 600,000 dunam planted last year. Avocado plantations also figure prominently on the water comissioner's black list, and worse

Dispersing the population more evenly (settlement) and the growing needs of the Arab sector will boost annual water requirements to 2,750 million cu.m. by the year 2000. If that sounds far off, remember that it is only two decades away and that we are, so to speak, already scraping the bottom of the bucket. (Perhaps another 120 million cu.m. could be squeezed out of our aquifiers:) The 2,750m. cu.m. represents more than twice the average annual capacity of the national water carrier and is way beyond the storage capacity of Lake Kinneret, even making allowances that the lake's surface may be lowered another metre.

In other words: any new settlements will have to ask the old ones to share their water with them. More farming settlements means less irrigated land available for all. An end to settlement expansion? Not necessarily. But the writing is on the wall for all to see. The alternatives are massive research projects to cultivate water-economizing crops and to use every drop available as efficiently as possible. Then there's sewage to be recycled, and last — and for the time being also still least desalination. Single purpose plants (desalination only) produce water at a prohibitive \$2 per cubic metre compared to the IL2.20 per cu.m.

paid by farmers now. Those in the desalination business believe that ultimately a large dual purpose desalinating unit (producing electricity with heat exchangers for the desalting unit) would be able to produce water at somewhere around 50 cents per w.m. "But regardless of all these considerations, I would definitely recommend having an industrial-sized, i.e., tens of millions of cubic metres producing

desalting unit in operation by the end of this millennium..." Back to the weather. The fact is that last year was the worst (as a drought year; in five decades. In case anybody wants to know what the ledger looks like - we have overdrawn by some 5,000 million cubic metres from our underground water table during the past 30 years. Another rain-poor year could be a real blow. A good rainy one would lighten the load. But we'd all do well to remember that be live in a drought-prone country, Ben Meir stressed. Perhaps the solution traditions, camel hair tents and all. and become nomads again moving north or south in the wake of the erratic winter rains.

THE SECOND half of the magazine was taken up - or should I say "wasted" on lots of talk that led nowhere. The subject was the Yarkon and how to induce the good people of Ramat Gan. Hod Hasharon, Petah Tikva and even Kalkilya and Kfar Habad (Eyalon River: to stop using the river and its tributaries as their private

Ben Meir blamed the cities for presenting nice facades to the public and their derrières to the government for care.

All agreed that a 14-kilometre stretch of park land, from the sea to the springs at Rosh Ha'ayin, would a boon for all Dan area inhabitants - something they all would enjoy but nobody is likely to do anything about. If the cities look to the government for budgets, then things will never get done.

LAST WEEK we reviewed an Army Station feature on a young womar. suffering from cancer. This week Edna Peer (Kol Yisrael - "I Do Give A Damn") was on the same subject and so was Yitzhak Livn: (late discussion, Friday).

It's not that I mean to belittle the subject. People should be made aware of the dangers and the suffering, and the stories should certainly be told. But at this rate, it almost seems as if these disreacting to the national campaign now under way. Enough is enough,

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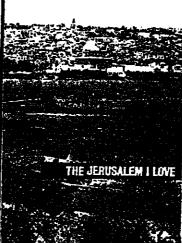
Barshai's craftsmanship must

moments. The Andante was pale

BENJAMIN BAR-AM PHILHARMONIC ISRAEL ORCHESTRA, James De Preist, conduc-ting with Silvia Marcovici, violin (Tel Aviv, Mana Auditorium, Nevember 29). Avin, Gelbran: Cinque Capricei for orchestra; Tchalkovsky: Violin Concer-to; Schubert: Symphony No.5 in B flat Major; Stravinsky: "The Firebird." THIS CONCERT opened with an IPO first performance: an

assembled heap of works.

Though De Preist seemed slightly maestro seems to care very little. BENJAMIN BAR-AM





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zion sounded a bit forced. Then a long torture descended on

Wanted: economic leadership

As the U.S. goes, so goes the rest of the world. Israel's economic problems cannot be divorced from those of the U.S., accountant Dan Bawly tells MACABEE DEAN, who reports in the seventh of a series.

TEL AVIV. - Dan Bawly, a certified public accountant, has been closely following economic developments both here and abroad. He recently visited the U.S., and this has reinforced his belief that the root of the trouble there, as throughout the Western world, into which he lumps Israel, can be boiled down to one concept: leadership, "or rather the lack of leadership.'

"The age of the great political leaders, who were larger than life and dominated affairs, and who were not swept along like driftwood by the stream of events, has evidently passed," he says. Moreover, he believes that political leadership must be replaced in some cases by economic

leadership.
As the situation stands today, we have weak leaders who tackle trivia, avoiding the real problems, hoping that by ignoring them they will go away by themselves. They are whistling in the dark, afraid that if they stop whistling they will not only hear the noises of their impending doom, but also of their own hearts pounding away like mad,

Bawly says.
The lack of leadership in the U.S. has created an atmosphere of deep pessimism, and the feeling that things will get worse in the future, not better. "There has been a flight from the dollar and other currencies, due to the distrust in them. into gold, real estate, jewelry and

The malaise in the U.S., he feels, stems in large part from the oil crisis. The higher prices have helped to fan the inflationary spiral there; but they have done more. They have created a vast pool of dollars (and to a lesser extent other

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currencies) which go galloping around the world looking for a safe haven. The problem is not only this, but the fact that until 1973, when a person had money in the bank, there were also goods outside, in the warehouses, or on the shelves. or being used to increase the means of production. Now there are literally billions upon billions floating around, looking for profitable short-term "paper" investments, being lent out for short

In reality, this money exists only in the books of banks and financial institutions. If the owners of these funds, the Arabs, suddenly lost faith in the safety of their money in one bank, or in a given country's banks, they could withdraw it suddenly and create an inter-national financial panic, Bawly

As long as this money is not turned into productive means for increasing the world's material vealth, it is a bomb which can be ig-

nited at any time.
"Leadership is needed to solve this problem and to defuse the bomb," he says, adding "and there is no such leadership on the

It is illogical to say that Israel has several billion dollars in its reserves. It owes several times as much — as a matter of fact, nobody actually knows down to the nearest million how much the country owes. It's like a person having IL20,000 in the bank and owing IL140,000. That person is bankrupt

- he just doesn't want to admit it. And it is just as illogical to say that a country, Israel or any other, can't go bankrupt. Of course a country can't go bankrupt, but a lot of people within that country can go

"There may be widespread unemployment because we can't buy raw materials for our plants: so these plants won't be able to export and earn foreign currency; so many of them will close down. There will be no petrol for cars, and tens of thousands will be immobilized. Public transport won't be able to cope with the problem of carrying hundreds of thousands of additional passengers a day."

Perhaps Israel can do nothing to help the Western world solve its economic problems, but Bawly thinks it can solve its own problems, so that when the nightmare comes true the country will be in a good position to weather the world-wide storm.

"The first thing needed is strong economic leadership," he stresses, noting that Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz might have set off on the right path, but he has only taken a few steps. "So far, he has only put off the final agony for a short He has failed to tackle some of the basic problems.

Bawly lists some of these

problems. They include cutting the civil service by at least ten per cent. The government budget must be pared down to a point where it is balanced, or almost balanced. Export industries should be

carefully force-fed to absorb the workers being thrown out of the ser-

The country should go over to a new basis: accountability and affordability where producers and consumers in Israel and clients abroad know what a firm Israeli quoted price means. "This will not only allow the leadership to guide economic policy with greater ease, but will also convince foreign countries that the situation is under con-

The people, following the leaders, should stop their practice of conspiciuous consumption and go back to a simple way of life. "This does not mean austerity as in the days of Dov Joseph, but it does mean trim-ming the fat away from our way of life and living a much healthier life.

And finally, the subterranean economy must be reduced. The huge quantities of money floating around, steering clear of income tax, must be diverted back into productive channels.

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Int'l air fares too high'

WASHINGTON (AP). — Marvin Cohen, chairman of the U.S. Civil Aeronautics Board, says some international air fares are as much as 45 per cent higher than they ought to be. He found air fares unreasonably high in 15 per cent of the areas the CAB studied, and a serious question about another 15 per cent

"Our rough analyses," he wrote member of Congress, "indicate that the fares in markets which appeared to be too high typically ranged from 5 to 12 per cent above minimally reasonable levels, though a very few ranged up to 45

CAB staff members say the most unreasonably high fares are those to Latin America and the Far East.

Cohen cited a fare of \$208, which he said was charged by Pan American World Airways between Miami and Caracas. According to the CAB's calculations it is 48.6 per cent more than it should be, which is \$140. Cohen said the airline had notified it of a fare of \$168 to become effective on October 1, but continued charging \$208 "until the board's staff inadvertently discovered the carrier's error.'

His letter was written to U.S. Representative Glenn Anderson the California Democrat who is chairman of the subcommittee on aviation in the House of Represen tatives. A bill now before Congress would regulate the way the CAB sets fares for international travel.

Higher sea freight charges foreseen

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — A round of talks on higher sea freight charges and bunker oil and congestion surchages, if the ports will be unable to handle this winter's cargoes without holdups, is to start here to-

Representatives of the CONISCON (Continent Israel-Continent) shipping conference, the largest serving Israel, and of the United Kingdom conference, arrived here yesterday. Their scheduled talks with the Shippers Council, which represents the importers and exporters, are to last three days. The conferences want to raise

freight charges on January 1. The two sides also want to work out a new formula for determining periodic adjustments of the bunker surcharges and of agreed criteria to determine when port congestion will warrant a surcharge.

Shippers Council director Arieh Mehoulal told The Jerusalem Post since the Council could not go along with the demands of the con-

He noted that this year's total foreign trade would come to U.18b.. nearly 30 per cent more than the IL14b. paid during 1978. The steep rise was due mainly to the rapid devaluation of the pound and to the big bunker oil surcharges, resulting from the higher international oil

He expected that next year's freight bill might rise to IL24b. He stressed that freight charges now accounted for 15 to 25 per cent of the total costs of cargoes, compared to only about seven per cent a few

Work ethics aren't what they used to be

Goofing off in America'

iem Post Reporter

"Workers today are just shiftless," asserts a middle-aged roofer taking a moment off to give his opinion.

"It's so hard to find willing hands that we have to import workers from the Bahamas. And we still have to throw away a lot of fruit that rots on the ground," complains the owner of an apple orchard.

"Young people just don't work as hard as their parent generation. They want to sit in an office and relax." claims a wealthy manufacturer.

These Israeli-sounding quotes come from a recent CBS-TV film about productivity and job satisfaction in that traditional bastion of hard work - America.

The colour documentary, "Mr. Rooney Goes to Work," was shown last week at the American Cultural Centre in Jerusalem and accompanied by a lecture from Prof. Irwin Yellowitz, chairman of the history department at City College in New York and visiting professor of American history at Tel Aviv University.

The red-white-and-blue invitations listed the screening time

at "4 p.m. — after work."

Andrew Rooney, a veteran CBS producer who has won an Emmy Award (TV's Oscar) for his work, crisscrossed the U.S. for the documentary, watched "thousands" of workers on the job and interviewed "hundreds."

Although Rooney had thought of calling the show "Goofing Off in America" after hearing prevalent views among workers themselves that Americans are lazy, he found that the U.S. citizen works much harder than they thought. The notion about laziness, he asserts, can be attributed to the "Good Old Days Syndrome," which is characterized by the feeling that 'roses aren't as red as they used to be and oranges aren't as tasty."

Concentrating mostly on fac-tories, Rooney found that "an

overwhelming number of people like their work." This includes even the woman who packs 300 pairs of men's shoes per hour, the junk collector, the bottle checker and the traffic cop. A man painting the dotted white line on a road said he has "satisfaction from the feeling that what I am doing will last; it's like being a part of history." A girl who recently graduated from high school would continue gluing soles to shoes even if she didn't need the money because "it gets boring just sitting around."

Many people even prefer routine, repetitive jobs, he claimed. "There are many with problems at home and in their neighbourhoods. For them, eight hours a day of repetitive work lets them daydream, because a job doesn't take much thought after the first

thousand times you do it." Rooney also found the 'dropouts' - the blond beachcomer who works six months a year for just enough money to spend the rest of the time; the former airport ticket agent who lives in a converted barn in the middie of nowhere and works as a handyman; and the former accountant who grows his own food.

Nevertheless, most Americans still want to make as much money as they can. Highly productive workers in the Lincoln Electric Company have no union, no coffeepots or transistors as they work, no soft music or potted palms. The secret is that hard workers get bonuses which nearly double their regular wages. Each person is rated by his supervisor four times a year to determine the

Prof. Yellowitz, who found the film generally "very good" for a TV show that must cram a lot of material into one hour of footage, disagreed with some of Rooney's conclusions. People aren't as happy with their work as they let on. ". study showed that most people would still work if they found a million dollars. But only nine per. People aren't against work; they're for better working conditions," he

The professor disagreed with Rooney's suggestion that profitsharing plans ("putting socialism into capitalism" according to Rooney) inevitably increase productivity. "The golden age of such plans were the 1920s in America. What is forgotten is that when the economy lags and profits are down; the system collapses and workers get embitiered," noted the

Although Americans are "less unhappy" about their jobs today than 50 and 100 years ago, continues Yellowitz, "there can't be universal job satisfaction." There will always be an irreducible minimum of boring jobs that can't be taken over by automation. U.S. employers, he predicts, will continue to improve working conditions, give employees a greater voice in management and offer more fringe benefits — for the selfish reason that these measures significantly improve productivity.

Unwilling to judge Israeli workers after only four months ere (his fourth visit to Israel), Prof. Yellowitz would say that job security offered by the tenure system "has proven not to be a bar to productivity. Job conditions -- that the worker feels he is contributing and enjoys his work --- can offset the tendency to laziness that tenure can promote.

A five-day work week instead of six days doesn't have to reduce productivity, he says, because "lots f wasted time is built into many

Aware of the fact that many Israelis "moonlight" at second and third jobs in order to make a living, Yellowitz thinks it would pay — in terms of the country's productivity to enable Israelis to make enough at their primary jobs, so that they would not have to >3"moonlight."

Haifa refineries pollute air, court will be told.

HAIFA (Itim). - An ethyleneproducing plant at the Haifa oil refineries, in operation since last June, is polluting the atmosphere by constantly discharging black smoke. This was the charge filed against the refineries last week in the Magistrates Court by the district prosecutor's office. The case is due to be heard in two weeks.

The charge sheet says that the flame burning at the top of the plant's chimney emits smoke 24 hours a day. Scientific measurements of the smoke level in the air show that the plant is polluting the atmosphere to a diatance of more than 400 m charge sheet claims. Initiative for the case came from

the Halfa municipality which asked the Health Ministry to intervene since the refineries are in an area outside the municipality's control.

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'Rose Garden delayed for one year by bureaucracy' By MARY HIRSCRIFELD

Jerusalem Post Reporter HAIFA. - MK Stef Wertheimer

told a meeting of prospective settlers of his Rose Garden village that they will still need a great deal of patience, "because it will take at least another year before anything can be set up there in the Gaillee." He bitterly complained that the villege's original plans have been delayed for years, mostly due to

bureaucracy. "If we would take matters in our own hands, and, like Gush Emunim, start building without a permit, we would all be living in our own houses by now.' The Israel Lar has one more requirement before it gives Rose Garden a green light,

Wertheimer said — the project has to be approved by the Regional Building Committee in Nazareth. A first meeting on the village plans is scheduled for February and by March, he went on, settlers will probably be able to start developing Wertheimer said each Rose

Garden settler would need "at least around \$10,000 for developing one's plot and another \$10,000 for building a small size house." As Rose Garden village will be a qualified development town, settlers will probably be able to receive half of this sum as a government low-interest loan, he added.

More than 1,000 families have registered for settling at the Rose 🖊 Garden village, 'from all ages, professions and social levels. ertheimer claimed. where the meeting to handful of residents from Ma'alot

demonstrated against the Rose Garden Project. Since the idea of building Rose Garden first came up Ma'alot residents have called it an actical neighbourhood for an elite." They feel the village will attract hundreds of "worthy people who would otherwise choose to settle at existing development towns in the

"Rose Garden will be the 'coup de grace' for Ma'alot and all other settlements around.'' one demonstrator claimed. 'Instead of investing so much in starting something from scratch, people wife should give us a hand and help strengthening what has already been set up."

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Drop in work accidents

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Workers from the administered territories employed in Israel suffered 2,600 work accidents in the first 11 months of 1979, a drop of 300, compared with the same period last

Haifa workers facing layoff | Industrials under selling pressure to get labour council help

Money Matters

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER

erusalem Post Reporter HAIFA. - The Haifa Labour Councll is setting up a special task force to deal with the problems of workers who are losing their jobs, council spokesman Moshe Gutter said yesterday.

The panel, which is to be ap-pointed today, will first try to prevent dismissals. Where that is impossible, the panel will help workers look for other jobs.

So far nearly 600 production.

reached IL96m. Extraordinary ear-

nings stood at IL20.3m. and were

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In 1974 the Israel Corporation wrote off a \$10m. loss incurred in

connection with the Tibor

Rosenbaum-Michael Tzur involve-

ment. In the year under review the

company received IL7.8m. back

from the moneys still owed to it. Altogether the Israel Corporation

More recently the company has

purchased 50 per cent of the capital

of Spectronix, manufacturer of fire

extinguishing equipment for domestic and military end uses. The earnings per share for 1978

were \$170 per each \$1,000 share, compared with \$130 the year before. The company has declared a 7½ per

cent cash dividend on its preference

shares and a 6 per cent dividend on

The company has announced its intention of listing its shares on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange, but no

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planning authority, there were still more jobs than job-seekers during that period, when unemployment was 2.7 per cent.) Some observers feel that the government's new economic measures give managers an opportunity to tackle their efficiency

> employment — while blaming the dismissals on the government. In the Haifa area, the Ata textile plant intends cutting its work force of 2,000 by about 450 workers, as it is reducing production for the local

problems — flush out concealed un

workers in Haifa-area factories

have got dismissal notices, and more dismissals are expected.

missals herald the massive un

employment some have predicted.

The latest figures available cover

the first half of 1979. According to a

report issued in mid-November by

the Labour Ministry's manpower

(It is not clear whether these dis-

The Tiv-Tov baby knitwear factory, which exports most of its production, is dismissing 35 of the 200 workers in its Haifa factory and another 40 from sewing workshops in Western Galilee, General Manager Dov Kashtan said vesterday.

Kashtan said the plant was reducing to the minimum its production for the local market, which now comprises 15 per cent of its output, "because the 130 per cent interest we are forced to pay on our working capital makes our prices

The factory's exports were also slowing down "because the 25 per cent interest we are forced to pay to finance exports makes it impossible for us to compete with the European producers, who pay much less," Kashtan said. Kashtan said.

The Dror cutlery factory is also dismissing 50 of its 75 workers, because the company can't com-pete with cheap cutlery from the Far East that is flooding the

It is expected that the service sector, especially the big stores, will also start dismissing employees soon — because of a decline in consumer demand and a desire to aliminate concealed unemployment that has built up over the years.

Stocks & bonds-TEL AVIV. - Industrial and investment company shares came under renewed selling pressure the market report yesterday, with the result that a

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN Post Finance Reporter

mance. Solel Bonch A was up by 40, to 894, and Azorim gained 4.9 per cent, to 215. Bayside IL1 was down by 6.4 per cent, while Ispro lost 7.1 per cent. Rassco pref. was down by 9, to 135, while the ordinary shares were "sellers only" and fixed at

Downward pressures were pronounced in the industrial group. Alliance was down by 50 points, to 955, while Elbit IL5 was losing 9 points, to 191. Argaman (R) was a 7.9 per cent loser as Ata C shares dropped to 64 after suffering a 4.5-

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point loss. EWC was down by a points, to 105. Molett was down by nearly 8 per cent, while Phoenicia lost 45 points, to 550. Assis did not trade, since the company announced a 15 per cent interim cash dividend and its intention to recommend a 75 per cent share bonus. Nechushtan shares were 4.6 per cent lower, while Polgat IL4 fell by 7.6 per cent. Frutarom was down by points, to 119.5.

While selling predominated in the investment company section, there were, nevertheless, a number of issues which came through with gains. Elgar was ahead by 5 per cent and Amissar came through with an 8.8 per cent rise. Ampa was "buyers only" and upped by 5 per cent. Wolfson IL10 (R) was 7.4 per cent, while Koor was falling by 195 points, to 3,785. Landeco was also "sellers only" while Piryon was nearly 5 per cent lower at 106.

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Israel Corporation reports 85% earnings gain in 1978

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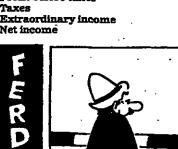
TEL AVIV. — The Israel Corporation, the investment company established as a result of the Jerusalem Economic Conference held after the Six-Day War, has reported that 1978 profits of IL196.9m. were 85 per cent ahead of those reported a year earlier.

To date the company has raised \$55m. in shares and another \$30m. in loan capital for the development of the Israeli economy. Because the capital for the company's activities originated from overseas, the terms of the Israel Corporation Law allowed for special tax concessions. The company has invested its funds in shipping, refineries, industry, cold storage facilities and housing.

The company's main investments are: Zim (50%), Haifa Oil Refineries (26%), Yehuda Hotels (9%), Electric Wire and Cable (26.5%), Sea of Galilee Hotels Ltd. (100%), Northern Cold Stores (95%) and El-Ram Housing (50%).

In 1978 income rose by 89 per cent, to II.238.1m. However, expenses rose at an even faster rate and

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number of issues fell by more than 6

per cent. Commercial bank shares

continued their upward surge. In

the past month these shares have

not only maintained their value, but

they have even surpassed the rise

in the cost-of-living index. The

equities of the Big Three banks are

currently attracting fresh capital.

They accounted for more than 80

per cent of the total share trading.

In the index-linked bond market

prices were either unchanged or

slightly higher, as the strong

guiding hand of the Bank of Israel

continued to maintain an orderly

For those who like to make com-

market. Trading was moderately

parisons based on monthly

statistics, it may be of interest to note

that the performance of index-linked bonds as well as that of the

commercial bank shares outpaced the rate of devaluation of the Israel

IDB and Hapoalim put on strong

performances, as each came

through with a 5-point gain. Three-point winners included Leumi, FIBI, Union and General Bank.

Mortgage bank stocks were mostly mixed. Carmel (B) was "sellers

only" and was dropped by the regular 5 per cent. The Tefahot

group of securities did not trade, since the bank announced its

results for the year ending September 30. The balance sheet

total nearly reached the IL20b.

mark and profits were up by 168 per

A number of issues took it on the

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was down by 6 per cent, while Yardenia IL1 fell by 6.4 per cent.

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There is a heightened concern

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East side story

THE CAMP DAVID Agreements, too, have now been denounced by the UN General Assembly. So what else, an Israeli might ask with a sigh, is new?

What is surely new is that the vote in favour of the Resolution, while decisive enough, was not very impressive - considering the size of the normally automatic majority enjoyed by the Arab rejectionists. Something else that is new is that Egypt this time preceded Israel in suggesting that the Resolution was 'negative, and will not help in achieving peace in the Middle East." Israel's own official response, yesterday, was somewhat stronger, as might be expected.

At the same time it must be realized that the wording of the new text, originally worked out in the notorious Palestine Committee, is also new. Last year a similarly phrased motion failed to get out of committee.

Furthermore, while the condemnation is aimed explicitly at the Camp David Agreements, insofar as they touch on the Palestinian issue, the Resolution also includes a slightly veiled criticism of the Egyptian-Israel Treaty as well. This no doubt is how the reference to "other agreements" in the text is to be un-

It would be unfortunate, however, if this unprecedented attack on the Framework for Peace should divert attention from the General Assembly's routine rehearsal, by the usual overwhelming majority, of its annual incantation on 'inalienable Palestinian rights."

These "rights," it is well to bear in mind, are supposed to include not only the setting up of an "independent Palestinian entity," but some ominously unspecified further rights, besides the wholesale repatriation of the refugees; and recognition of the PLO as the sole representative of the Palestinians in any Middle East negotiations.

They are not, moreover, offset by any obligations - such as, say, the keeping of the peace if and when the "independent entity" is established.

In taking its newly combined action on the PLO's behalf the General Assembly has aligned itself, more clearly than ever before, with the arsonists and saboteurs of peace in the Middle East. More clearly, because the PLO now represents the only organized force anywhere in the world that actively, openly and unreservedly supports the hostage-grabbing regime in Iran.

Thus, at the very time the Security Council is preparing to take some minimally necessary steps to bring Ayatollah Khomeini into line, the General Assembly bursts into another round of applause for the imam's best friend, Yasser Arafat. This is the sort of absurdity that could only be conceived in the United Nations. Only there, it seems, could spokesmen for even enlightened nations profess not to observe the realization of

Arafat's model of the "secular and democratic state" in Khomeini's hysterically oppressive theocracy.

The defence not infrequently offered for such indefensible conduct is that, while it helps yield a steady supply of oil, it is essentially harmless. This is an overstatement, but perhaps not a very gross one. The states genuinely seeking the peace of the region need not be too greatly disturbed by the periodic barking

at their passing caravan that rises up from the shore of New York's East River. They are safe, so long as they do not let the caravan halt, or tarry, let alone change direction. Their progress depends above

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THE DISPUTE OVER Sabbath traffic on the road to Ramot was on the verge of a settlement — by agreement between the two parties directly affected, the Orthodox residents of the Ezrat Tora quarter at Kiryat Zanz and the mostly secular-minded inhabitants of Ramot — when the renewal of stone-throwing last Saturday undid all the good work. The two sides are back to the situation of glowering hostility that they had tried so hard to dis-

The men of Ramot were ill-advised to take up the strong-arm tactics they had condemned in their zealot opponents. Cries of outrage at broken car windscreens cease to be convincing when the victims themselves start breaking windows. Can this spiral

of violence and counter-violence be stopped?

The pity of it is that the two conflicting communities on site did not will this stalemate. The Ramot residents were ready to go along with a compromise adjustment whereby the disputed road is walled off and traffic goes one way only on that road (along the lanes which, adjoining the wall, would be concealed from view) - provided that in the meantime all abuse and stone-throwing cease. The representatives of Ezrat Tora were ready to consider such a formula.

But an outside element, Neturei Karta, who do not live anywhere near the disputed roadway, have other views. On Shabbat they made their weekly trouble-making peregrination from Mea Shearim, and somehow a stone or two were hurled enough to make Ramot feel that Ezrat Tora were breaking contract, with the resulting flare-up of anger setting back all the

The disturbing aspect of this uncivilized skirmishing is not that it happens, but that it is allowed to happen. Most of the dwellers in both districts, it may be assumed, want nothing more than a quiet life. A minority of hot-heads in all communities are prone, for one reason or another, to break the peace. Society has an instrument to prevent them from doing so - the police force. It could put an end to these tussles easily enough by dispersing the demonstrators, letting some of them cool their heels in a police cell, and bringing charges against all offenders.

But they are required to use the velvet glove, because Dr.

Yosef Burg, Minister of the Interior and a leader of the National Religious Party, does not want to be rough with a sector of the community whose illegal behaviour, though reprehensible, is to his mind inspired by creditably devout motives.

What Dr. Burg fails to understand is that he does more harm than good by this policy of restraint. The public will not take action in its own self-defence as long as it has confidence in the guardians of the peace. The people of Ramot did not react at first to the invective and the hail of rocks at Kiryat Zanz, because they thought it was a matter for the police.

If the police are held up by a false humanitarianism from giving the normal treatment to menaces of this kind (and Dr. Burg stated frankly over the radio that he "cannot cope with Neturei Karta"), then a climate might be created in the course of time for the emergence of vigilante groups, who would take the peace-keeping process into their own hands.

The incursion into the religious quarter last Saturday should serve as a warning, that the Interior Minister must take seriously into account. If that situation develops, the prospect facing him will be more alarming by far than his current modest duty of exercising a proper and normal discipline over all groups in society, observant and secular alike.



THE NEW FACE OF TERRORISM

SHOCKED by the take-over of the American Embassy in Iran, the United States is trying to devise ways of countering a new phenomenon known as "surrogate wariare."

Security at diplomatic missions in sensitive regions has been stepped up. But the occupation of the Embassy in Teheran, and the seizure of dozens of American diplomats, has taught U.S. officials

In a dramatic and potentially tragic way, it has brought home the realization that no embassy anywhere in the world is safe from seizure if the attackers have the

support of their own government.
What happened in Teheran marked the first time in modern history that a government has officially sanctioned large-scale hostile action against another country.

Specialists in the study of extremist violence call it surrogate warfare — hostilities conducted below the level of government.

"What happened in Iran isn't the traditional terrorism by small groups, or a state terrorism against its own people," says Anthony Quainton, director of the State Department's office for combating 'It's the use of terrorism by a

state against an outside power. That's a new use of old tactics. It's different from what we've seen in

WHAT CAN the U.S. or any other country for that matter, do in the face of such tactics? Very little, it seems, apart from re-inforcing security guards.

The embassy in Teheran, for instance, would have needed hundreds of armed troops to put up a defence against the thousands of demonstrators who overran it on November 4.

And an embassy cannot function as an armed fortress, although the security features of their design sometimes give them that appearance.

The first line of defence at most American embassies is the Marine security guard, a small force of young Marines specially selected and trained for diplomatic duty.

READERS' LETTERS I

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

letter "Self-genocide" (22nd

November) and take strong excep-

tion to his interpretation of our open

letter to members of Knesset, on the

subject of Clause 5 of the Abortion

There was no "dishonest

attempt" to "convey deliberately"

that the cases we described were

prototypes of those covered by

Clause 5. There was an honest

appeal to the policy-makers of our country to realize that Clause 5 does

not refer to "distress" in terms of

money alone, which Agudat Yisrael

claims to be the solution for women

requesting abortion under this

clause. Clause 5 does not refer to

"socio-economic reasons." It says

social conditions of the woman and

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, - I am in complete agree-

ment with Ralph Schoolman ("If I

were a woman..." -- November 20) and applaud the first humane ap-

proach I have read on the subject. I

have been following this case with

avid interest and growing anger and am relieved to know that at least someone considers the

feelings and opinion of the woman.

Sir, — Yes, I am a woman and I do not need Ralph Schoolman to

Usually when a man and woman

unite sexually, there is a chance

that pregnancy would result. It is the exception and not the rule that a

woman is forced to have sexual

relations with a man against her will. This means that if I sleep with

a man, I can expect to bear the fruit

of that act. I am responsible for my actions and must bear the conse-

When I get pregnant and choose

to abort, I am not only dealing with

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Sir. — We refer to Ben Hillson's

FAMILY PLANNING

What can any country do when confronted with terrorist action by another state? Very little, writes Reuter correspondent BARRY MAY from Washington.



The besieged American Embassy in Teheran.

IN THE CASE of the Teheran at-Their function, in the event of large-scale riots against the em-bassy, is to delay the entry of the tack, and the later sacking of the U.S. Embassy in Islamabad, the demonstrators long enough to allow responsible Americans on the spot diplomats to destroy secret decided against the use of "deadly documents and code machines and force" to halt the assaults. to protect the people inside the mis-

U.S. officials emphasize that the delaying function of the Marines is essentially defensive and is intended to provide enough time for local authorities, usually police or para-military units, to arrive on the

The Marines are armed with .38 pistols and also have access to shotguns and tear-gas in the embassy armoury.

Any decision on whether to open fire on a hostile crowd about to invade an embassy is left to the senior State Department security officer on the scene, in consultation with the ambassador.

There is only one criterion: are lives in imminent jeopardy.

Can there be anything more dis-

honest than trying to solve our

demographic problems by forcing

women to bring up children they do

not desire, by withholding from

them family planning information

and services? Or even more

monstrous, by forcing them to go

through nine months of pregnancy

only to give the child away for adop-

We do not favour abortion as a

method of family planning, but until such time as adequate family plan-

ning services and information will

be available to all who want it, this

last resort method must be

Israel Family Planning Association

my life, but also with the life of my

unborn child. When does human life

start? Is it not the second that the

Almighty allows the egg and sperm

to unite? That means that if I ter-

Has Hitler not killed enough Jewish children? Must now the

Israelis continue in his steps and

kill their own unborn children?

Does not Israel need her children, knowing how outnumbered they are

by her enemies? Is life really

sacred in this country or is this just an empty slogan? Must Israel

follow the blindness and immorali-

ty of the heathen world in legalizing

I am amazed that the The

Jerusalem Post has even taken the

trouble of publishing such a weak

article as that of Ralph Schoolman.

His arguments for abortion are non-

behind Israel, I hope and pray that the terrible disgrace of this

murderous practice and its

legalization will quickly be removed from this country.

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ding Carter, the State Department's spokesman in Washington. "They do not have adequate force, and never will, to restrain a large mob.

"The use of deadly force in-evitably endangers all the Americans because once deaths occur, then (more) death becomes inevitable if the mob is, in fact, going

"The reason is simple," said Hod-

to overrun the place.' The Marine security guards accomplished their mission in Teheran by holding off the violent mob of Moslem extremists long enough to enable the destruction of code machines and other secret material, according to their U.S.based commander, Colonel James

Colonel Cooper, who runs the Marines' embassy guard training school at Quantico, Virginia, said: 'The Marines are supposed to conduct delaying actions to give the embassy time to bottom-up, to evacuate some personnel and move other to safe havens...and to give the host government time to react. "We're not going to maintain our

missions by force of arma," he said.
"Physically, we couldn't do it." ACCORDING TO Colonel Cooper, it would have taken at least

a battalion of about 800 coat Marines to protect the embassy compound in the heart of Teheran. On the day of the attack in the Iranian capital, three Marines were manning their posts - one inside a control booth at the entrance to the embassy, another patrolling inside the building, and a third guarding the ambassador's residence. Ten

But the order to use their hand-guns was never given. "A Marine guard is trained never

to draw his weapon unless he's going to use it," Colonel Cooper said. "The minute a weapon comes out of the holster, it is supposed to be

security precautions at U.S. embassies include closed-circuit television cameras to monitor comings and goings, two-way mirrors to enable the surreptitious observation of visitors, electronic gates and doors opened by punching a coded combination on a panel, bulletproof screens, sophisticated alarms and escorts in the buildings.

U.S. DIPLOMATS assigned

The diplomats learn how to deal hostage. They are trained not to kidnapped.

They are told to try to establish some kind of rapport with their captors, avoid provocative remarks and comply with instructions.

and we make no concessions," said Quainton, the State Department's expert in counter-terrorism. "Five ambassadors have been

killed in recent years, and every ambassador overseas knows that he could be, too. "The risk is there, and the reality

The Marines fired tear gas to slow the demonstrators' advance.

Besides the Marine guard, other

overseas receive instructions on potential security problems at a one-day State Department seminar aimed at "heightening their awareness."

with security in their homes, bomb threats, attacks on their embassies and how to survive capture as a struggle or fight back if they are

"We don't give in to blackmail

is that you can't have everybody going about in bullet-proof cars with personal bodyguards. Embassies

aren't armed camps, and they

"that if what is occurring is not an aberration - in Iran, that is - but some harbinger of further things elsewhere, then all nations diplomatic missions are in trouble. and no nation can feel secure about the defence of its own people abroad.

"Therefore, this is not simply an American problem, it is a problem for the international community. "And that explains in a large part why so many organizations representing nations collectively and representing nations individually have spoken out

vigorously on this subject."

Meanwhile, the State Department has ordered U.S. embassies in about 10 Moslem countries to evacuate, on a voluntary basis, noneasential diplomats, embassy dependants and private American sinessmen in order to lessen the risk in the event of further anti-American demonstrations.

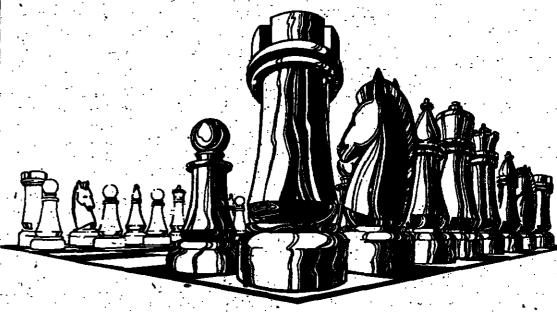
The State Department will not identify the countries involved until the evacuations are completed and

will not say how many people may A spokesman merely said: "I want to stress that any reduction is a precautionary, prudent and tem-

porary measure to reduce any potential threat to security. "We intend to conduct a full range of diplomatic relations at all

the posts affected."

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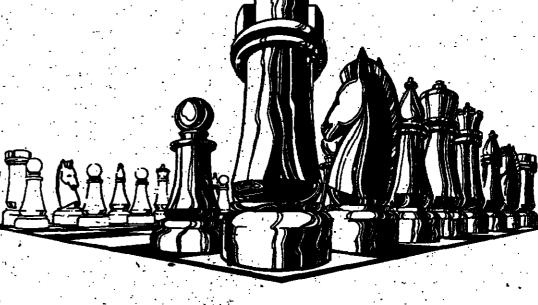
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